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One Cent

PRIMARY ELECTION NOW IN PROGRESS

Indications That a Large
Vote Will Be Polled
in Charleroi

1,736 ARE REGISTERED

First Time Electors Vote for
County and Town Offic-
ers Together

For the first time since the passage of the constitutional amendments transferring the municipal elections from February to November Charleroi as well as every other election district in the State, will have the unusual experience of combining a local and county election. In addition to this Charleroi for the first time votes under the new division of precincts. This gives six polling places instead of three as formerly and for that reason the centers of political activity will be more scattered than ever before. The workers who make the rounds of the polling places to see that the faithful are lined up will have to use automobiles if they desire to be effective.

With both the local and county tickets to furnish inspiration, it is expected that a large vote will be polled in the borough. One of the largest registrations in the history of the town has been made, but it is not known just how many voters have left town since the shut-down of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass factory, and the failure of the Charleroi Coal Works to rebuild their tipple after it was burned last spring. According to the registry returns Charleroi has 1,736 voters divided among the six precincts as follows:

Charleroi—1st	462
Charleroi—2nd	290
Charleroi—3rd	176
Charleroi—4th	362
Charleroi—5th	202
Charleroi—6th	244
Total	1,736

Early this week the furnishings and equipment for the new polling places were received and have been distributed and put in place at the various polling places. Dr. Frank L. Crow, the Republican chairman of the first precinct, has had charge of the matter. The election boards in the different places were organized at the proper hour, some changes being necessary in one or two of the precincts to take care of some vacancies.

As the Mail goes to press voting is in progress, and workers for both local and county candidates are active. Thus far there is no particular bitterness likely to crop out in the contests, and the issue cannot be foretold in any particular case with any degree of certainty.

Notice.
To the Republican voters of Charleroi. This is to notify you that I will not be a candidate for the office of School Director at the coming election. Thanking my friends for their kindness I am

Very Truly
Dr. Edwin McKay
531t2

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Two Women On Ticket

Electors at County Seat Have
Opportunity to Display
Their Chivalry

For the first time in the history of Washington two women have announced for the nomination for School director. These are Mrs. Minnie Borchers for the four-year term and Mrs. Annie Murphy for the six-year term, who are candidates on the Democratic-Keystone ticket. Many believe they have a good chance to be nominated on one or the other ticket and have many friends and organizations of different kinds supporting them in their candidacy. The result today will show what the voters of that borough think about electing women to membership on the board. They are sure to get a good vote.

ADDS TO STATEMENT

Speaker Gives Author-
ity for Statement
Made in Debate

OMITTED FIRST TIME

To the Editor of the Charleroi Mail:
Sir—In order to remove every possibility of a doubt as to the truth of the statements made at Eldora Park in my reply to the affirmative of the question, I will give you the exact words. * * * (When Gertrude Hunt and Louis Goazou publicly declared that the celebration in the Park on Labor Day was in honor of the fall of the Commune, August 29, 1871.) * * * "You men and women seem to be of one mind with the leaders of the French revolution, who led a harlot to the church of the Notre Dame in solemn procession, placed her naked above the Altar of the Cathedral, her feet trampling the Crucifix, and bowing to the dust, proclaimed her the Goddess of Reason."

See G. B. Denham, a Socialist writer in "The Proletarian Revolt." Maxime du Camp's official recital of outrage. Rev. William Stephens Kress, priest of the Ohio Apostolate in "Questions of Socialists," authorized by Ignatius F. Hortsman, Bishop of Cleveland.

When I gave any authority for statements in Charleroi Mail September 26, I failed to mention this incident which led some people to believe that I had no proof.

Yours Truly,
Edward Callaghan.
Charleroi, Sept. 29, 1911.

Dancing School.
Oatman's Dancing class every Friday night at the Bank of Charleroi Hall. Beginners class at 7:30. Social dance 8:45. Orchestra. Now is your time to learn to dance, while others are learning. 55-t1

RIVER DISTRICT HAS ONE-THIRD OF VOTERS

Total Registration in County is 30,170—East Side
Muster 10,661 With Nearly all Large
Centers of Population

According to the returns just completed at the commissioners' office at Washington there are 30,170 registered voters in the county. The registration is the largest ever reported to the commissioners and the indications are that with both the county and municipal candidates to nominate the vote at the primaries today will be unusually large. Charleroi leads the river district with the largest registration, 1,736. The registration of the principal towns along the river is as follows:

Charleroi	1,736
Monongahela	1,306
Donora	1,481
Allen Township	365
California	557
Centerville	275
Coal Centre	136
Carroll Township	864
East Bethlehem	357
Elco	178

East Pike Run 664
Fallowfield Township 314
Long Branch 63
North Charleroi 219
Roscoe 284
Speers 86
Stockdale 129
Twilight 78
Union 658
West Pike Run 264
West Brownsville 375
Total 10,661

With but few exceptions, the river districts are unusually large and concentrated, and for that reason the vote is the easiest to get out. It will also be seen that the river district has over one-third of the total registration, and as the Republicans of this district were most loyal last year, the river was the battle ground this year by the Republican candidates for the nominations.

AGITATORS FAIL TO FOMENT STRIKE

Marianna Mines Resume Aft-
er Trouble Caused by
Foreigners

The Marianna mines, which were idle a short time on account of some trouble engendered, it is said, by irresponsible agitators, resumed today and it is expected that the tonnage will exceed that of any of the best days they have experienced. The trouble was created by irresponsible newcomers who have been excluded from the miners' locals in the Pittsburgh district.

Failing to gain any recognition there this element harranged the foreigners and was successful in creating some disturbance in which the officials of the union were injured. However, the leaders were arrested and sent to jail and the miners concluded to return to work.

The mines are the steadiest in the district and the wages are the highest paid. None of the English speaking miners refused to work, nor did the foreigners when they learned the real situation.

The orders are piling up and the mines will be kept running through the winter months, so that steady employment is guaranteed to those now employed.

STATE ENGINEERS NOW AT RIVERVIEW

Working on Highways to Con-
nect Monongahela With
Finleyville

William Reed, engineer for the State Highway Department, accompanied by his assistant, Mr. Smith, arrived in Monongahela this week and are at work setting stakes for the new Mingo road. Work on this been placed under way, and a number of men are already employed. Operations will begin at the River-view switch, and pushed in the direction of Finleyville, allowing the portion of the road between the switch and the powerhouse to rest until such times as the controversy now on between the authorities and the road supervisors of Carroll township has been settled.

Gave Birthday Party.
Miss Lela Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Harris of Washington avenue, entertained a company of her young friends Wednesday afternoon to celebrate her birthday. Twenty-five of the little folks were present and all were delightfully entertained. Games and a delicious luncheon were the chief features of the party.

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CAR OWNERS OUT FOR TIME

Belle Vernon Contingent
Forms Club and Plans
Outing

The Belle Vernon Automobile Club has been organized with a membership of 21. Officers were elected and committees appointed to take care of the interests of the touring fraternity in that section. The first outing will be held early in October, at which time the club will invade the mountains of Fayette county on a chestnut hunt. With a party of about 80 people the members will dine at the Summit Hotel, near Uniontown.

Dr. George E. Nickel was made president of the association, Frank H. Steen secretary and Samuel S. Jones treasurer. A board of governors named is composed of Charles P. Speers, Dr. Harry C. Daly, Louis M. Kyle, B. Frank Taylor, William A. Mitchener, Dr. Nickel, Mr. Jones and Mr. Stein. Mr. Mitchener was appointed chairman of the road committee, Samuel W. Murphy of the legislative committee and Mr. Taylor of the social committee.

The new society has joined the Pennsylvania Motor Car association and American Automobile association a National organization that gives all members the right to purchase supplies in any State at a discount.

SOCIAL PLEASING AND PROFITABLE

"Sock" Social of Woman's Bible
Class Nets Church
Fund \$80

A "Sock Social," which was more in the nature of a reception, was held at the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church Friday. It was given by the Woman's Adult Bible class of the Sunday school and was largely attended. A musical and literary program was rendered, in which Mrs. I. T. Daniel sang and readings were given by Misses Clutter, Rylands, Walters and Groves. Rev. G. G. Kerr of Canonsburg, former pastor of the church, was present and made an address. At the conclusion of the exercises luncheon was served in the basement. The proceeds of the social amounted to over \$80.

Class Had Pleasant Time.
Samuel Chesure's Sunday School class of young men met at the home of Joseph Pearson Friday evening to spend a few hours socially. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

Home Grown Potatoes at the City Grocery, 30c a peck. 541t2

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CHARLEROI FAMILY WERE ALL DEPORTED

Force On
Double Shift

Government Workmen Hus-
tling to Fix Gate for Up
River Lock

Much activity is being displayed at the Government Boat Yards at North Charleroi this week. The regular yard crew has been increased by combining with the crew of the steamer Slackwater and two shifts are working day and night in order to get a new gate completed to take the place of one recently damaged and put out of commission at Lock No. 9 during the late high water. It is thought the repairs will be partly completed by next week when one gate will be put in and another one dismantled and repaired. At present only small boats and flats can be passed through Lock No. 9, as only one gate at the lower end can be operated.

CHAMPS PHOTOED

Winners of the Church
League Pennant In-
teresting Group

TEAM HAD 13 VICTORIES

An echo of the recent Charleroi Church League base ball season comes with the completion of a large group picture of the Lutheran Champions, which Photographer Berdell Clutter claims to be the best thing ever turned out in a baseball way. This official photograph group contains no less than 23 individuals, all of whom did loyal service in making the Lutherans the best winning combination ever gotten together in Charleroi. These photos are now on exhibition, and are grouped as follows:

J. K. Johnston, president; Bob Vetter, vice president; Rev. C. E. Frontz, D. D.; Joseph Steck, executive board officer; "Abe" Levinson, signal bureau; Joe Mason, coach and middle field; Ralph Miller, captain and pitcher; Waho Bill Fleming, catcher; Joe Steck, short-stop; Chevy Mason, first-base; Eddie Butz, second-base; Neal Motts, third-base; Sharkey Vitovitch, left field; Cap. Wertz, right field; Doc. Patton, utility out field; Jess Cupps, utility infield; Red Hartland, pitcher; G. Gehring, secretary and treasurer; Bob. Allen, physical director; Dorby, Red and Schultz, bat and pepper boys.

In addition to their record of 13 victories and one defeat in the Church League, the Lutherans also defeated Allegheny High School, the Jersey Bloomer Girls, and the Liggett A. C. of Monongahela, a winning percentage of .941, and the best ever made by any Charleroi team.

Church League Echoes.
Predictions for next season!
There are thousands of good "cold."

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Wife and Children Go
With Husband Who
Confessed Charge

ARREST MADE HERE

German Government Traces
Criminal and Takes Him
Back for Trial

Jacob Becker, alias Jacob Biggert alias Paul Schreiber, who was arrested in Charleroi on September 17 by Immigrant Inspector W. W. Sibray, on a charge of being in the United States unlawfully, was Friday morning in company with his wife and three children, taken to New York by Inspector William Poser. This morning the family who were taken to Pittsburgh from Charleroi Friday were to be placed on board the steamer Vaterland and taken back to their former home at Friedrichsthal, Germany. According to the German authorities, Becker is wanted there for a number of burglaries.

At one time Becker was considered a wealthy man in his home town. Then came reverses in which he lost all of his money and his home. Becoming desperate it is said, Becker turned thief. He continued his operations until the police began to suspect him, and on hearing that he was about to be arrested from one of the policemen who was his friend, he left Friedrichsthal. He went first to Belgium, and later to Amsterdam, where he secured a position as a machinist on a freighter bound for America.

When the ship arrived here Becker deserted at Philadelphia. He then wrote to a friend of his who had been in Charleroi for the past 10 years for a railroad ticket to that place. Receiving the ticket, Becker came to Charleroi, where he secured a position as a miner. By saving his money Becker soon had the required amount to pay the passage to this country of his wife and three children.

The wife and children arrived in Charleroi two months ago and everything went well until Becker's conscience began hurting him. He then wrote a letter to the police authorities at the town he had left, confessing to the crimes. Nothing was heard from the police authorities by Becker for some time, when Inspector Sibray, who had been informed of the case by the German authorities went to Charleroi and placed Becker under arrest.

The next day Becker was brought to Pittsburgh, and while in the office of Inspector Sibray made a sensational escape. A chase followed, but Becker outdistanced his pursuers. The next day Inspector Sibray went back to Becker's home and found him there. He was arrested and committed to jail to await the action of the immigration authorities in Philadelphia. Word came to Inspector Sibray yesterday to deport Becker and his family.

NOTICE
On account of Monday being a holiday our store will not be open for business until after 6 p. m. Greenberg's, Fifth street and McKean avenue. 54-t2

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LOCAL AGENCIES

G. B. Micht.....Charleroi
Mrs. Belle Sharpback.....Lock No. 1
O. T. Hixenbaugh.....Belle Vernon
O. T. Hixenbaugh.....Speers

Sept. 30 In American History.

1800—War between United States and
France ended. It began July 9,
1798.
1804—George Frisbie Hoar, United
States senator from Massachusetts,
died; born 1827.
1890—Peary's arctic ship, the Rose-
velt, arrived in New York harbor.
Frederick Russell Burton, com-
poser, whose Indian cantata "Hia-
watha," produced in 1898, made
him a well known figure in the
musical world in America and
abroad; died; born 1861.
1910—Winslow Homer, famous Amer-
ican painter, died; born 1834.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 5:40, rises 5:52; moon sets
10:35 p. m.; moon farthest south and
lowest. Midnight, 273 days of the
year past, 92 to follow. Sun's decli-
nation, 2 degrees, 49 minutes, south of
celestial equator.

THE HOME CANDIDATE.

With the contest for county nomi-
nations at the primary at an end, it
is up to the voters to do the rest. By
the time this issue of the Mail is out
voting will have begun and it will
continue until 8 o'clock this evening,
when the polls close. The question
now is in the hands of the voters, and
until they decide there can be little
more than conjecture as to what the
result will be.

Those communities that have home
candidates can do little else than give
them a good complimentary vote. That
should be a matter of civic pride, as
the town that will not stand behind
one of its own citizens politically can-
not be depended upon to act with any
kind of unanimity on public ques-
tions. A town should be loyal to its
own whenever one of its citizens
seeks preferment or honors in any
field of advancement. It is a self-evi-
dent fact that few if any ever seek
such honors without the requisite
qualifications, and that being the
case, all things are equal, and the
home candidate should be given the
choice.

John H. Bowers is a candidate for
the Republican nomination for county
treasurer. He is one of the substan-
tial citizens of Charleroi. He has con-
tributed liberally and worked hard
for the advancement of the town. He
is one whose aid and counsel is sought
in all public enterprises, and in the
honor he seeks his neighbors and fel-
low citizens should reciprocate for the
public service he has given gratui-
tously for the good and well being
of the community. Should he win
the election it will redound to the
honor of and prestige of Charleroi,
and advance the importance of the
town in the administration of county
affairs.

No matter how personal likes or
prejudices may figure, a town ranks
higher in the estimation of the out-
side world that will loyally stand

back of one of its own citizens who
seek public honors and preferment.

GRIM VISSAGED WAR

Unless the embryotic war which
Italy has virtually declared against
Turkey by the seizure of Tripoli in
Africa is averted, Andrew Carnegie's
propaganda for peace will be proven
a failure and civilization will again
witness the spectacle of wholesale
murder. Unless the belligerents are
pulled off by the other powers,
some more deadly complications are
likely to follow.

It is probable that in the predest-
inated plan for the advancement of
civilization this war is inevitable.
Italy wants Tripoli in order to ex-
pand—as a place to send her surplus
population, and under existing con-
ditions the country is utterly useless
in the march of human progress on-
ward and upward. There is really
no excuse for the existence of such
a government as that maintained
and administered by Turkey, and
the quicker it is taken and parti-
tioned by the Christian nations, the
better for humanity in general. The
march of civilization is oft times
hastened more by the sword than by
moral suasion, and this move by
Italy is only history repeating it-
self.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

What are friends for if not to crit-
icize?

When the call of duty makes a
noise like the jingling of silver, it is
easy to obey it.

It is only the wealthy who can af-
ford to lead the simple life

The woman who has an eye for the
beautiful is the one who hunts up a
mirror.

The way some women rig out their
kids makes it hard to tell whether
they're stylish or poor.

In bowing to the inevitable it's wise
to inject some cordiality into the salu-
tation.

Instead of being railroaded into
prison as many claim, they are trol-
ley-carried into those institutions.

One of the troubles these days is
that too many people mistake their
yearnings for their incomes.

Most of the colleges for men teach
sewing, but the art is usually confin-
ed to wild oats.

Men's wives might be considered
the circumstances over which they
have no control.

Some men's honesty will stand the
test of millions but fall down when
it faces an unattached lead pencil.

If every man were a drum major
in the band who'd carry the base
drum?

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Samuel C. Todd, who is a member of
Governor J. K. Tener's cabinet in the
capacity of Executive Controller, re-
lates some interesting experiences
since he went to Harrisburg. As an
invited guest he attended the con-
vention of Governors which was re-
cently held in the east, and he states
that the affair was most enjoyable.
There were over thirty of the Gov-
ernors present, and the convention was
a big experience meeting.

"There was no formality," said Mr.
Todd. "The meetings were held by a
different Governor being chosen each
day to preside and the different Ex-
ecutives told of various economic is-
sues and public enterprises in their
respective States. Public policies
were discussed and the different Gov-
ernors told how they did it at home."
"For instance, the Governor of Col-
orado told how convict labor was em-
ployed on the public roads, and work-
ed well. The convicts were put on
their honor that they would not at-
tempt to escape, and but a slight
guard was in control. Good work was
accomplished, and in no instance was
the parole violated. The Governor
of Georgia for instance, would then
tell his experience, and state how
such a method would be impractical
in his State, owing to the different
class of population.

"Of all the Governors present none
were more popular than Governor
Tener, who, when he presided, told of
the State Highway system that Penn-
sylvania has adopted, and which is to
be carried through. This is perhaps
the most comprehensive system of any

of the States, and the plan was wide-
ly discussed. The Governors were a
bunch of practical good fellows, and
the meetings were the same as if a
company of Charleroi citizens had got-
ten together to discuss some borough
enterprise. No politics was mention-
ed and I did not know the political af-
filiations of half the Governors I met."

"While at the convention," continued
Mr. Todd, we visited Fort Henry
one of the fortifications defending
New York harbor, and they gave us
there an exhibition of gunnery. A
big 13-inch coast defense gun on a
disappearing carriage was fired at a
target seven miles out in the harbor.
The gun crew loaded it in a jiffy with
a projectile weighing 1,040 pounds,
and three bags of powder weighing
300 pounds. With instruments and
calculations they determined the
range, and then the gun slowly arose
from out of the pit on its disappear-
ing carriage and the shot was fired. A
tremendous crash followed. Although
I put my fingers in my ears I did not
take the flash into consideration, and
that nearly scared me out of my
shoes. Everything seemed enveloped
in flame.

"The next time I knew what was
coming, and after the shot I could
note the effects. The recoil threw
the gun on its disappearing carriage
back down into the pit, where it was
reloaded. The first shot went a lit-
tle to the right of the target. Some
of their party held their watches and
after the second shot was fired in 12
seconds it passed through the center
of the target seven miles out in the
ocean. We could distinctly hear the
big projectile whiz through the air
after the shot was fired. The whole
thing was most interesting to me."

Found a Way to Help.

A worthy old Quaker who lived in a
country town in England was rich
and benevolent, and his means were
put in frequent requisition for pur-
poses of local charity or usefulness.
The townspeople wanted to rebuild
their parish church, and a committee
was appointed to raise funds. It was
agreed that the Quaker could not be
asked to subscribe toward an object
so contrary to his principles; but then
on the other hand, so true a friend to
the town might take it amiss if he
was not at least consulted on a mat-
ter of such general interest. So one of
their number went and explained to
him their project; the old church was
to be removed and such and such steps
taken toward the construction of a
new one.

"These was," the Quaker said.
"In supposing that my principles
would not allow me to assist in build-
ing a church. But didst thee not say
something about pulling down a
church? Thee may'st put my name
down for a hundred pounds."—Meri-
vale's "Historical Studies."

Gautier's Superstition.

Theophile Gautier, the critic, novelist
and poet, like many another great
man, was superstitious and believed
in the evil eye. Offenbach was his
aversion, and in this respect a Paris
contemporary tells us that one day the
son and father were walking together.
The son, for wickedness' sake, started
a conversation about Offenbach, and
his father gave him to understand that
the subject was disagreeable. Noth-
ing daunted, the lad led Gautier to a
shop window where was exposed a
photograph of the composer.

As they resumed their walk the son
observed, "Well, you see, father, after
all, nothing has happened through
looking at the photograph." At that
moment they were turning the corner,
and the son preceded his father. In
full view of the passersby Gautier ad-
ministered to his tormentor a paternal
kick, observing, half in anger and half
in humor, "Well, something has hap-
pened."

A Great Difference.

In a spread-eagle speech on the im-
mortality of the soul, an orator ex-
claimed: "I looked at the mountains,
and could not help thinking, 'Beauti-
ful as you are, you will some day be
destroyed, while my soul will not.'"
Then I gazed upon the ocean, and
cried out, 'Mighty as you are, you will
some day dry up, but I never will!'"

Glass Beads in Demand.
There has recently sprung up a sud-
den demand for glass beads. They are
used for beautifying costumes for
women, for interior house decorating
and a variety of other purposes.

Low Fares to the West.
Pennsylvania Railroad. Tickets to
Rockey Mountains, Pacific Coast,
Western Canada, Mexico and South-
western points on sale every day un-
til October 14, inclusive at reduced
fares. Consult nearest Ticket Agent.
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NOTICE.

On Saturday, September 30, the
laundry of William Yee and Frank
Fong on Sixth street will be sold to
Yee Wah. Any person owing
money to the above firm or any per-
son having bills against them are re-
quested to call and settle before the
above date. All accounts must be
closed by the 30th as after that time
I will not be responsible for same.
Yee Wah. 50-16

The Panama Hat.

A popular comedian at a Lumba
club gambol in New York told a pan-
ama hat story.

"A young clerk out my way," he
said, "gave his girl a present of a
panama hat last year. Then the day be-
fore the Fourth he got a couple of
comrades together for a picnic, clam-bake
and some roast down the river, and he
wired the girl:

"Meet me at pier 15 tomorrow
morning at 7. Plenty of time passed."
The next morning as he stood on
pier 15 dreaming dreams of love, he
saw a boat, sweet day of billing
and cooing he saw his girl advancing
with her father and mother. He was
terribly annoyed, and on the boat, as
soon as he could get her alone, he
blessed:

"What did you want to bring the
old fellow for?"

"Why, will you told me to," she
said, and she showed him the tele-
gram, which the operator had made to
read:

"Bring pa and ma."

Whistler Before Whistler.

Mortimer Menpes told the following
story of Whistler, who was to deliver
an address one day to the Society of
British Artists: "The master at length
entered, faultlessly dressed, walking
with a swinging, jaunty step, evident-
ly quite delighted with himself and
the world in general. He passed down
the gallery, ignoring the assembled
members, and walked up to his own
picture. And there he stayed for quite
fifteen minutes, regarding it with a
satisfied expression, stepping now
backward, now forward, canting his
head and dusting the surface of the
glass with a silk pocket handkerchief.
We watched him open mouthed. Sud-
denly he turned round, beamed upon
us and uttered but two words—
'Bravo, Bravo!' then took his arm
and hurried him to the gallery
talking:

Counted Ants for Two Years.

A marvel of scientific research, says
our Berlin correspondent, has been
accomplished by Professor Young,
who has been investigating the in-
terior condition of anthills. By dint
of patient observation Professor
Young discovered that an anthill two
feet in height was inhabited by 93,780
ants. Other anthills of almost the
same size were found to contain 67,
500, 53,000 and 48,000 ants respective-
ly. These observations and the count-
ing of the tiny insects occupied two
years.—London Evening Standard.

Ships That Cross the Bar.

As a general thing the kind of man
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He is not the candidate of
any faction nor is he on any
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It's Up to You"
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nation.

Republican Primaries
September 30, 1911

Register of Wills
Vote for one

John D. Baumgarner X

FOR TREASURER



(Vote for one.)

J. H. Bowers X

Important Announcement.

This is to inform our patrons and
the public of Charleroi and vicinity
that the Monessen Laundry
company being no longer our
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As our wagon will solicit, collect
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to us direct and will enable us to
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America's Greatest Cleaners and
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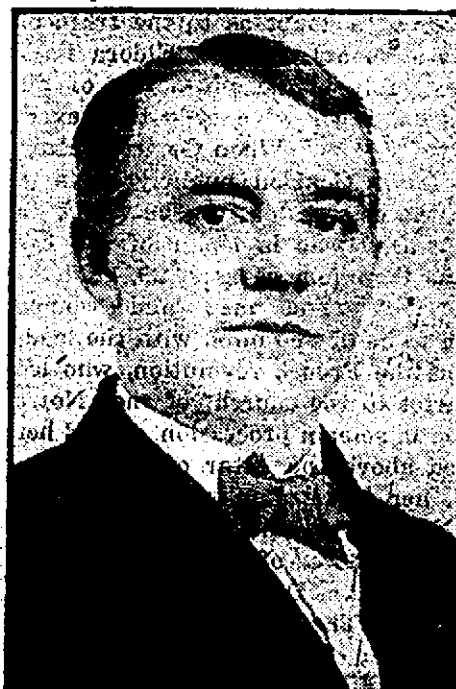
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2,800 4 room house, lot 30x143x170
Eleventh Street.
2,600 5 room house, modern conven-
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Avenue.
2,500 5 room house,
McKean Avenue.
2,000 5 room house, street improved,
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2,000 5 room house, gas, water,
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We are now showing a complete line of
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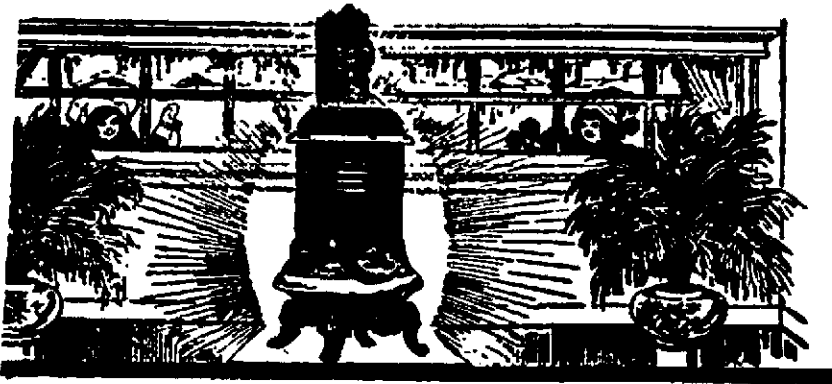
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Washington, Pa.
FOR REGISTER OF WILLS
Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries September 30, 1911.

For County Treasurer



C. S. RITCHIE

North Franklin Township

Primaries September 30, 1911. According to Rules of the Republican Party.

A few reasons why! Charles S. Ritchie should be nominated and elected Treasurer of Washington County.

1st. He promises if elected to conduct the office in a strictly business like manner and to be governed according to the laws of the State of Pennsylvania regulating the duties of County Treasurer.

2nd. He has thoroughly qualified himself as to ability and fitness by his work as Deputy Controller in producing and installing a system of bookkeeping in the County Controller's office, by which the taxpayers can learn every day all about the fiscal affairs of Washington County.

3rd. He is not a slated candidate but a candidate of the people and not a slate maker but a slate breaker. Vote for him.

Among the Theatres

THE PALACE—CHARLEROI.

"Saving the Standard," was a pretty mediaeval melodrama. The story was that of the storming and capture of a fortress after which a fair woman prisoner secures and conceals the captured standard of her house. She sends a message by means of a carrier pigeon to friends, who succor the prisoners just as the woman is being subjected to a heroic test to make her give up the standard. The Pathe Weekly film was the usual strong feature with its bulletin of international events, as well as a thrilling photoplay, "Saved from the Torrents," which showed the bravery of a young girl in saving an express train. Miss Helen Atwill's singing is also a big drawing card, and her spot light selections are highly enjoyed by the large crowds that throng the Palace nightly.

THE STAR—CHARLEROI.

Another good repertoire at the Star Theatre this week added to the attractions which Manager Tom Cowan is giving to the people of this community, not the least attractive of which is his matinee beginning every afternoon at 2 o'clock. Among the strong photoplays of the week were "Colleen Bawn," "Battle of Wills," "Fortunes of War," "Cowboy's Loyalty," "The Edelweiss," and many others. The pictures are changed daily and with something new and novel every day the Star still holds its popularity and increases its attendance.

THE GRAND—PITTSBURG.

One of the most interesting announcements in a theatrical way this week is that of the engagement at the Grand Opera house, beginning Monday afternoon, October 2, of Sydney Drew-Lionel Barrymore and company in a condensation of Richard Brinsley Sheridan's immortal comedy, "The Rivals." This tabloid version of the evergreen English classic has been christened "Bob Acres" and in its presentation Mr. Drew and Mr. Barrymore are aided by the youngest member of the Drew family, S. Rankin Drew, and also by Beresford Lovett and Frederic Bernard.

It is, therefore with more than passing significance that Mr. Harry Davis announces the Drew-Barrymore engagement as the chief feature of his vaudeville performance next week.

Moreover, he has surrounded this extraordinary attraction with numerous other headliners. He will present the Eight English Palace Girls, assisted by James Clemono, the premier dancing eccentric of England in a series of singing and dancing revues.

Paul LaCroix, the mad hatter, will give his eccentric juggling specialties.

Wynn and Russon, Mr. Wynn being the eccentric member of the old team of Wynn and Lewis, will present a patter act. The Majestic Trio will discourse sweet music. Hugh Lloyd, "the wry Scotchman," assisted by Beatrice Southwick will do some dangerous and comic things upon a bounding. There will be several other acts and some good moving pictures in the program.

THE NIXON—PITTSBURG.

The comedy "Seven Days" that Messrs. Wagenhals & Kemper will be presented at the "Nixon Theatre" Monday October 2, a twentieth century romance, is cleverly depicted in love and laughter. Mary Roberts Rinehart and Avery Hopwood who wrote the comedy have shown accurately and amusingly how present day folk treat sentiment. The play traps a dinner party of New York's smart set in a quarantine. Of these is "Bubbles" Wilson who fancies he'd like to marry Kit McNair, another of the captives. Does he go on his knees to tell her so? Not much! He sits behind her and smiles. She says that he'd be about the happiest fellow in the world if she'd have him "Don't ask me to get down on my knees," he says, "I'm too fat." He keeps on smiling when, as he expresses it she laughingly "lets him down easy." Then there is Tom Harbison. He too, is in love, and he tells her so, like this: "If you need me, just send this message, 'I want you,' and I'll come if I'm in South America, China or—hell." He gets his answer. "I want you, but I'm not sure I want you back from that last place you mentioned."

So through the play love runs gaily, and when it stabs sharpest, laughter is merriest, as is the way in this generation. The wonder is that the authors could have started their fun flowing so spontaneously and kept it going so unflaggingly. A third year in New York is the overstoping record of "Seven Days" a third year at the Astor Theatre, whence it comes to Pittsburgh, roadway cast and production complete.

THE ALVIN—PITTSBURG.

Holbrook Blinn will be the attraction at the Alvin Theatre during the week of October 2 when he will present "The Boss," a play by Edward Sheldon, author of "Salvation Nell" and "The Nigger." Mr. Blinn's abilities as a player of strong character roles are well known, owing to his many visits to the city with Mrs. Fiske, with whom he played the leading male roles in "The Pillars of Society," "Hannele," and other plays. In "The Boss" Mr. Blinn is said to give a remarkable delineation of a certain type of "boss" common to American cities. This man, Michael Regan has won power and in doing so has not hesitated to crush his opponents and business rivals. Among the latter is James D. Griswold and the character is best illustrated by the fact that just as he is about to force Griswold to the wall, he meets his daughter Emily, conceives a sudden regard for her and offers himself as her husband. To save her father's failing fortunes, she accepts. Naturally the marriage is not a happy one, as the wife is antagonistic to her husband, and his coarse and often brutal methods in handling opposition disgust her.

The play tells the story of how the wife's antagonism and virtual dislike of Regan is little by little turned into admiration and love, and how the man, purified by defeat and heart worry, ultimately develops the best that is in him. "The Boss" would hardly be a Sheldon play if it did not introduce some startling episodes, but the love interest, it is said, looks big throughout the play. The time is the present and the characters are said to be familiar types.

Nothing to Quarrel About.

There are a few men who are foolish enough to quarrel about where they would go to, if they only had enough money to go some.

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The cleanest, the easiest to care for. Users of coal must remember that the ordinary heater is a big care to operate. That its smoke and ashes entail dusting, curtain washing and carpet sweeping. Think then of the easy operation and the cleanliness of Cole's Hot Blast. This heater has a guaranteed smoke-proof feed door through which a current of air draws the smoke directly across the top of the stove to the stove pipe, away from the opening. Contrast this simple, cleanly feed with the side door in an ordinary heater. Side doors used on other stoves permit the escape of dirty smoke, unpleasant gases and accumulated soot drops from it. If you overfill a side door stove, coal falls to the floor. The air-tight feature embodied in Cole's Hot Blast Heater is an everlasting advantage in its favor. Allow us to show you this perfect heater before you buy. (R-17)

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For County Commissioner

Subject to Republican Rules

Thomas Mitchell



Earnestly solicits the support of the laboring men of Washington County.

In Thomas Mitchell, as a candidate, the working men of the County have a true friend whom they should support. A man who has always been on the right side of the Labor Question, being a member of the Central Trades Assembly of Washington, Pa., and is always ready and willing to devote his time, and give his aid to anything pertaining to the workingman's interest. A man of spotless character, with the ability of discharging the duties of County Commissioner in an honest and upright manner, if elected.

Vote for Thomas Mitchell for County Commissioner.

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For County Treasurer



S. M. Downer

"The Man Who Led the Way"

Others may follow, but the taxpayers know that DOWNER is the man whose progressive platform has made certain a satisfactory administration of the County Treasurer's office.

Republican Primary Ballot:

S. M. Dower ☒

A Good Platform

Homer H. Spriggs, States His Position



Makes His Position Clear Concerning the Handling of the County's Funds Elected Treasurer.

TO THE TAXPAYERS OF WASHINGTON COUNTY:

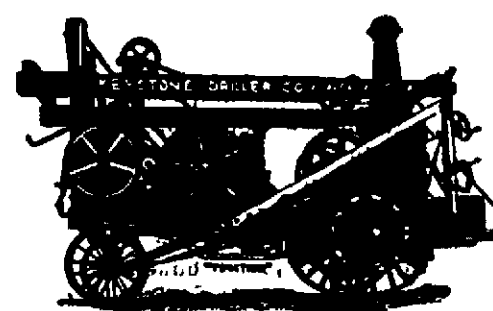
If nominated and elected to the office of County Treasurer, I will take charge of said office untangled by political or business promises and will conduct the office on strict business principles. I will furnish my own bond and will obtain for the county the largest possible interest on its money consisting with the safety of the funds.

Personally, I favor a salary for the office of County Treasurer.

If you are satisfied with the foregoing statement, being fair to taxpayers at large, I respectfully solicit your vote and influence at the coming primaries, Sept. 30, 1911.

HOMER H. SPRIGGS

East Washington, Pa.



JOHN H. FRY
CHARLEROI, and

Wm. WILLIAM MONESSEN

WELL DRILLERS

Water Wells, Artesian Wells, Test Holes, Air Holes for Shale

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Vote Your Convictions For Sheriff--T. J. Underwood

The Candidate Who Is Unbossed, and
Who Does Not Wear a Factional Collar

Subject to Republican Rules

PILES DISAPPEAR

So Does Eczema, Salt Rheum, Ulcers,
Old Sores and Carbuncles.

Under the influence of San Cura Ointment surprising cures are made so quickly that they seem like miracles.

Stubborn cases of piles like those of Rev. W. F. Gilbert of Titusville, Pa. vanish before the marvelous antiseptic Ointment. Mr. Gilbert writes:

"For twenty years I suffered with bleeding and itching piles; at times I was confined to the house for more than a month. Two years ago I began using San Cura Ointment and one jar made a firm and permanent cure. I have not been troubled since."

San Cura Ointment is guaranteed by W. F. Hennings, who is the agent in Charleroi to cure any of the above named diseases or money back. It instantly kills all pain from burns, cuts and bruises, draws out the poison and heals in a short time. 25 cents and 50 cents a jar at W. F. Hennings.

Good Baby Soap.

San Cura is a healing and antiseptic soap; just the soothing kind that infants need. It frees the pores from dirt and prevents fevers, and other infantile diseases. Anyone's skin, cures pimples, freckles, cleans the complexion and makes a cake at W. F. Hennings. Mail orders for San Cura Ointment and Soap filled by the Thompson Medical Co., Titusville, Pa.

A Growsome Weapon.

A certain English family owns a pistol which inspires every one who holds it with a horrible and almost irresistible desire to kill some woman. This weapon belonged to an ancestor whose wife deceived him and drove him mad. He swore revenge against the whole sex, and with the pistol killed his wife, his wife's sister and another woman who was his mistress and secured.

Tobacco Trust in China.

Tobacco consumption of China is very large and is mostly home-grown. The finer grade of leaf comes from the Philippines, but the whole production is controlled by the tobacco trust.

Incompetent Chauffeur.

"How do you like your new chauffeur?" "He's utterly impossible!" On Park Heights avenue yesterday he completely missed two dogs, one baby, a telegraph pole, and another automobile. I am afraid he has had some great disappointment in life that has taken the spirit out of him."

POLITICAL ADVERTISING.

For Prothonotary



A. V. Lewis
OF DONORA

to Republican Primaries,
September 30.

Tight Collars.

Writing in the Hospital, London, Dr. Walford warns everybody against tight collars. He considers it remarkable that no one seems to have noticed or, at any rate, to have laid great stress on the fact that such slight obstacles to the free circulation of the blood through the vessels of the brain may adversely influence the health of those who are in the habit of wearing tightly fitting neckcloths. "The fact appears to be well known to veterinary surgeons, who tell us that neck constriction through badly fitting harness is a causative factor in 'stagers' in horses," says the writer. It seems to be equally well known that dogs suffer a great deal through having to wear tightly fitting collars. Is it too much, then, Dr. Walford asks, to argue that those of us who wear our own collars too tightly buttoned may find in that practice some explanation of symptoms ascribed to other causes?

Tiny Republics.

Klein-Alp is a diminutive republic tucked away between Switzerland and France. Only in summer is the republic inhabited and then by miners and cowgirls. There is one hotel, closed during the winter. Another little republic is in Tyrol, between Austria and Italy, and in long gone years was under the jurisdiction of first a king, and then an emperor. But in the adjustment of frontier lines the state of Val di Ventino was in some way overlooked, and it promptly organized itself into a hilltop republic. It has now about 2,000 inhabitants living in six villages. Neither Val di Ventino nor Klein-Alp has any taxes. There are no officials or compulsory military services. The only industry of Val di Ventino, aside from the farming of small fields, is charcoal burning.

His Tribute of Respect.

The freckle faced boy who was about to be emancipated from high school thralldom was writing his graduation essay.

"I suppose I ought to wind it up," he reflected, "with something touching, and sentimental about the leather headed, snub nosed, squeaky voiced, conceited old snoozer that runs the school."

Thereupon he wrote, "And now, our dear and honored principal, we turn to you," etc.—Chicago Tribune.

The Translation.

Toole, the great English comedian, was once greatly tickled at finding in a French provincial town a poster announcing a translation of "Walker, London," the farce which he himself had made famous. The adapter had translated the title as "Londres qui se promene," or "London which goes out for walks."

Fact or Fiction?

"The trouble with these literary clubs," said a captious critic, "is that they always degenerate into meetings for the exchange of gossip."

"True enough," replied an enthusiastic member, "but how can you expect anything else when facts are so much stranger than fiction?"

All About the Pig.

A little boy's first composition was about a pig. This is the way he wrote it: "Pigs are very queer animals. The pig has its uses. Our dog don't like pigs. His name is Nero. Our teacher read a piece one day about a wicked king named Nero. I like good men. My papa is an awful good man. Men are very useful. They have a great many uses which I can't stop to tell them all. This is all I can think of about the pig."

Extenuating Circumstance.

Ted was an excitable youngster, and to adequately express his feelings had acquired the use of words forceful, but improper. In a fit of temper one day he used some of his most violent terms to his mother. She said nothing, but Ted knew well the signs of preparation for a just rebuke, corporally administered. He said, "I know you are going to whip me, but before you begin remember I said it in a very pleasant tone of voice."

Some Cynic.

A spring poet, whose specialty is cynicism, dashed off the following: "The man who is brave enough to desire to marry the modern girl needs no further test of his courage."

DANGER IN DELAY

Kidney Diseases Are Too Dangerous
For Charleroi People to
Neglect.

The great danger of kidney troubles is that they get firm hold before the sufferer recognizes them. Health is gradually, undermined. Backache, headache, nervousness, lameness, soreness, lumbago, urinary troubles, dropsy, and Bright's disease, follow as the kidneys get worse. Don't neglect your kidneys. Help the kidneys with the reliable and safe remedy, Doan's Kidney Pills, which has cured people right here in Charleroi.

Mrs. Robert Coulter, 207 Prospect avenue, Charleroi, Pa., says: "Some years ago my son contracted the measles and on recovering, I noticed that his kidneys were weak. He had no control over the kidney secretions and this was especially annoying at night. I had often seen Doan's Kidney Pills highly advertised in the local papers and was finally induced to procure a supply at Piper Bros. Drug Store. I had my son use them according to directions, and before long he was greatly benefitted." He is still using Doan's Kidney Pills, and I am certain that a complete cure will soon be effected.

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Remember the name—Doan's and take no other.

Early Combines and Corners.

"Engrossing" was an offense punishable in England by fine and imprisonment, and the laws against it struck at those—called "engrossers"—who planned to gain control over necessities, such as grain or foodstuffs in considerable quantities, either by purchase or otherwise, with the intention of raising prices. The statute book holds quite a series of enactments designed to prevent anything in the nature of what we know as a "corner" or "combine." "Engrossing" was a criminal offense, and so was "forestalling." The former consisted of buying and selling the same day in the same market or near it, and the latter implied the purchase of merchandise on the way to market or before the hour at which the market commenced with the intention of selling at a profit, while it was also "forestalling" to circulate rumors calculated to raise the prices of commodities. Though these laws have fallen into desuetude, they were in force in our grandfathers' time.—London Mail.

He Let Her Sleep.

Some years ago a Swansea vessel was caught in a terrible gale. The captain had his wife on board, and when the wind was still rising he told her to go down below and sleep, for all was well. He remained on the bridge till the mate came up and said: "We've done all we can. Hadn't you better tell the chaps to get out the boats?"

"Yes, yes, my lad, if you think so," said the captain, who knew the only choice left was whether to go down with the ship or in a small boat, which couldn't live ten seconds in that sea. The engineers came up with the news that the fires were all out. "Very well, my lads," said the captain quietly, "save yourselves if you can."

"Won't you fetch the wife on deck, sir?" asked one of the men.

"No," was the calm reply; "let her sleep, poor old girl. I am going down to have a smoke." And, smoking by the bedside of his sleeping wife, he went down with the ship.

Foreign Health Resorts.

According to the latest statistics about \$40,045,000 is expended each year by visitors from foreign countries who take the "cure" at the natural mineral spring resorts in western Bohemia, along the Erzgebirge (Ore mountains).

The Most Exacting Sport.

Competitive rowing is, perhaps, the most exacting sport in the world, and the man who indulges in it lives a life which, according to some ideas, is very little removed from slavery.—London Bystander.

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For Register

His election means a business administration of the office.

He stands upon his past record as a Republican and upon his ability to fulfill the duties of the position.

He should be your choice at the Republican Primaries Saturday, Sept. 30.

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"Bert" Lutton is and always was a good Republican. Ability, experience and a characteristic fidelity to duty entitles him to advancement.

The Man
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Made
Good in
the
Sheriff's
Office

He is not the candidate of any faction of the Republican Party. He is governed only by its highest principles and a personal regard for duty, efficiency and honesty in office.

Protect This Important Office With a Vote for
"BERT" LUTTON

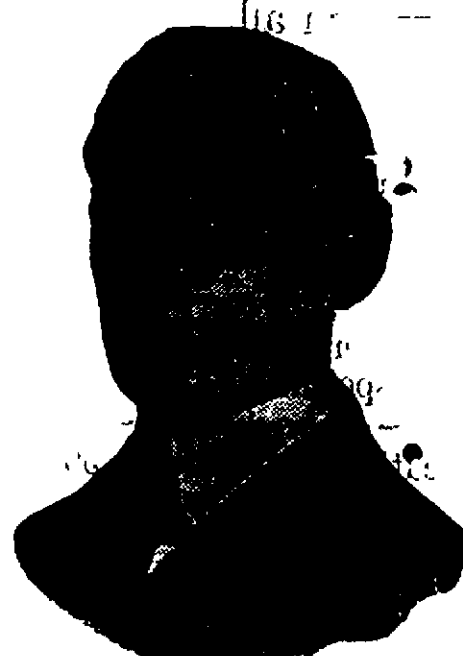
For District Attorney Ralph M. Allison

A vote for him is a vote for a square deal.
A vote for him is a vote to maintain the
independence of the Republican Party of
Washington County.

(For District Attorney---Vote for One)

Ralph M. Allison X

To the Voters of Washington County



I am a candidate for re-nomination for the office of District Attorney on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held Saturday, September 30th, 1911.

During my present term you have had an opportunity to observe the manner in which the office has been conducted. If the administration of the office during that period has met with your approval, then I respectfully ask for your support at the coming primaries.

If re-nominated and re-elected I promise that the policy of the office will be the same in the future as it has been in the past, and that its administration will not be influenced by questions of politics or of political expediency.

C. L. V. Acheson

I AM NOT ON THE "SLATE"
WILL YOU HELP ME TO BREAK IT?

The Best She Could Do.
"There is only one reason," he said, "why I have never asked you to be my wife."
"What is that?" she asked.
"I have always been half afraid you might refuse."
"Well," she whispered after a long silence, "I should think you'd have curiosity enough to want to find out whether your suspicion was well founded or not."—Chicago Record-Herald

Damascus Swords.
It is seldom that a really good specimen of a Damascus sword can be obtained, for the art of working and engraving the kind of steel of which they are made is lost. These famous swords were made of alternate layers of iron and steel so finely tempered that the blade would bend to the hilt without breaking.

She Needed Them All.
There are over 200,000 words in the English language, and most of them were used last Sunday by a lady who discovered after coming out of church that her stunning new hat was adorned with a price tag on which was written, "Reduced to \$2.75."—Norborne (Mo.) Leader.

Virtues That Command Success.
Vigilance in watching opportunity; tact and daring in seizing upon opportunity; force and persistence in crowding opportunity to its utmost of possible achievement—these are the martial virtues which must command success.—Phelps.

Always in Readiness.
There was an officer in Rome whose business it was to always have his doors open in order to receive any Roman who applied to him for help.

ANNOUNCEMENTS OF BOROUGH OFFICIALS

For Justice of the Peace

E. E. RICE

Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries, Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911

For Justice of the Peace.

Joseph A. Wheeler

Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries Saturday Sept. 30, 1911.

For Justice of the Peace.

L. P. Flickinger

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For Justice of the Peace.

Andrew N. Jenkins

Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries, Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911.

For Council

Four Years.

John G. Albright

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Primaries, Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911.

For Council.

Two Years.

Frank Riva

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For Council

Two Years.

John B. Campbell

Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911.

For Constable

John Higgins

Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries Saturday Sept. 30, 1911.

For Borough Constable

G. W. Corey

Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries, Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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JOHN J. CAIRNS.

ROSCOE, PA.
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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

A. W. CLEMENS

Buffalo Township
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For County Commissioner,

TOM MITCHEL

Washington, Pa.
Subject to Republican Rules.

For County Commissioner,

Wm. Hazen

Hopewell Township
Subject to Democratic-Keystone Party Rules.

FOR SHERIFF

R. G. LUTTON

of Washington
Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries Sept. 30.

FOR SHERIFF

T. J. UNDERWOOD

CALIFORNIA, PA.
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FOR REGISTER OF WILLS

BOYD PARSHALL

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FRANK B. WICKERHAM

MONONGAHELA, PA.
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FOR REGISTER

Loren F. Hopkins

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FOR COUNTY TREASURER

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Primaries Sept. 30, 1911

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OF CALIFORNIA.

Subject to the decision of the Democratic-Keystone voters at the Primary election, Saturday, September 30.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

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Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries, Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911

For District Attorney

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Your vote and influence solicited.

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Primaries Sept. 30, 1911
Your Support Solicited

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The conservative methods of this bank and its record of nearly 13 years of successful banking, as well as the courteous treatment you will receive to make all your relations with this institution satisfactory and pleasant, are our best recommendation.

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Busy Days in the
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As fast as the Fall Hats leave—new ones arrive to take their place. Its this ever changing variety that draws people to this Millinery Department—and why not, where can you get more beautiful hats—Copies of the latest models as shown in New York and direct from Paris. If there is anything new in Millinery we'll have it—Its one of our big departments, and if you've a hat to buy come here and see the beautiful hats we show—no two alike and rightly priced.



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Our buyers have hardly returned from New York, when these coats commenced to come—and they are so handsome—all that new and desirable, and there are so many clever and snappy coats that it is hard to describe them—Two Toned effects, Reversibles, Plaid lined and trimmed, The New Polo Coats with shopping bag, large flapping pockets, immense rolling coats, large buttons all add to the beauty of these garments—We've made some good buys in our line of Plushes and Caraculs—That will be your savings—Coats for Women—Coats for Misses and for Children—Hundreds of them and hardly any two alike—Splendid Values at

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Charming New Fall Suits

NEVER BEFORE DURING ANY SEASON have the styles of suits shown so many beautiful weaves—every day brings something new. Fine broadcloths, Kerseys, Basket Weaves, French Serges, Wide Whale Serges and a host of beautiful new Fancy Mixtures. The short coat predominates again this season, the skirts handsomely plain, mostly habit back—they fit the figure perfectly and add a key note to the style that is decidedly attractive and charming to behold. Come in and let our salespeople show you—try them on, the ideas you will gather from our display will doubly pay you. Prices of these beautiful new made tailored garments are especially attractive. Come, let us show you

Charleroi's Largest
and Best Store

BERRYMAN'S

We Give S. & H. Green Stamps.

Ask for them.

To the Republican Voters of Washington County

If the Republican party of Washington County wants to retrieve the losses of last year, and present its unbroken front of former years, it must purge itself of would-be bosses and come clean. The popular vote at the primaries makes the contest for the nominations an open field for every candidate, and any attempt or effort to dictate and control this vote is an insult to the intelligence of the voters and an injury to the principles of the objects of the great Republican party.

I believe it is to the interest of all good Republicans in the County to destroy all combinations and break all slates at the primaries that are designed to advance personal interests and traffic for future political honors and patronage. I believe that the people want candidates WITH CLEAN RECORDS AND WHO ARE NOT SUBJECT TO DICTATION AND BOSSISM to go before the voters in November, and for that reason I announced my candidacy for the nomination for COUNTY TREASURER, and have made my canvass personally and alone, INDEPENDENT OF ANY BOSSES OR SLATE MAKERS.

I appeal to the great mass of independent voters of the Republican party—who voters who have to bear the brunt of the taxes and pay the bills—to support the independent candidate who is not a party to any political deals and has no interests to serve but the welfare of the public. The official who serves the people is the one who keeps down the rate of taxation.

When I announced my platform I made specific pledges as to the handling of the county funds, I promised that—

If nominated and elected to the office of County Treasurer I will ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR THE DEPOSIT OF THE COUNTY FUNDS, AND AWARD THE SAME TO THE BANKS THAT WILL PAY THE HIGHEST RATE OF INTEREST AND ARE ABLE TO PROPERLY SECURE THE COUNTY.

No other candidate for County Treasurer has made such a specific pledge. Others have said they would deposit the county funds "to the best interests of the County," or words to that effect, but none have been so explicit as I have.

All that the law can compel a County Treasurer to do is to GIVE BONDS FOR THE SAFETY OF THE FUNDS IN HIS CUSTODY, PAY OUT THE SAME ON PROPER VOUCHER, ACCOUNT FOR THE AMOUNT IN HAND, AND TURN OVER THE SAME TO HIS SUCCESSOR AT THE EXPIRATION OF HIS TERM. A County Treasurer does not have to look to the profit of the county in handling the funds unless he sees fit to do so. I would secure interest on my idle funds I may have in the conduct of my private business, and I promise to do the same with the county funds if nominated and elected County Treasurer.

It is stated on good authority that the idle funds of the county now on deposit in banks and not drawing interest is WORTH \$1,000 A MONTH TO THOSE BANKS.

I PROMISE IF THE VOTERS NOMINATE AND ELECT ME TO THE OFFICE OF COUNTY TREASURER TO GIVE THE TAXPAYERS THE BENEFIT OF THIS PROFIT SO FAR AS POSSIBLE, INSTEAD OF THE BANKS.

WILL YOU GIVE ME YOUR VOTE FOR COUNTY TREASURER?

JOHN H. BOWERS

LIGHTED TORCH CAUSES EXPLOSION

Peter New, employed by the Pittsburgh Steel company at Monessen while examining a barrel of oil, Friday used a lighted torch. Gasses had generated in the receptacle and in the explosion he was badly burned about the head, face and body. He was taken to his home in Ros-traver avenue, Monessen and is said to be in a serious condition.

CHAMPS PHOTOED

(Continued from first page.)

weather" players.

President "Doc" McKay says the Church League article is superior to that now served up for Forbes Field.

A world's series between Jock Menefee's Monessen Lutherans and Joe Mason's Charleroi Lutherans would make a hummer.

Manager "Foxy" McCloskey has not talked much base ball since the close of the season.

Doc Patton is having his batting-eye reblocked.

Cap Wertz has a wind-shield made for his throwing arm.

Lou Mitchell's batting average of .161 Fahr. is counting against him in this political fight.

Captain R. Dale Joliffe has again announced his retirement from the skimmed infield.

Sam. Todd is going to organize a Church League in Harrisburg.

Jack Rickey has given up base ball to enter politics. Tough luck for the other right fielders.

When it comes to doing lots of and always being on the job, Prof. Daniels is the certified goods. He is a real lover of base ball.

Ex-Manager Booth is figuring out some new plays.

Perc Pollock claims that the Methodists did win a game, all claims to the contrary notwithstanding, heretofore set forth.

LOCAL MENTION

After returning home from a short visit at Elizabeth, Misses Clementa and Elizabeth Pardini in company with their grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Ferry, left Friday for McDonald, where they will visit friends at that place.

Miss Mayme Bezy returned home from a two months' visit with relatives in Kokomo, Ind., New Albany and Louisville, Ky.

James Coyne returned to his home in Cleveland, Ohio, after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. Bezy.

"Lefty" McIlveen, the noted former State College athlete, is visiting friends in Charleroi.

V. E. Reeves and B. D. Blaker are attending the double header between Philadelphia and Pittsburgh at Pittsburgh today.

J. K. Johnston, superintendent of the Charleroi Coal Works returned today from a vacation spent in the New England States. Mrs. Johnston will remain at her former home in Connecticut for a few weeks yet.

Ninety Couples Present.

Prof. Fred Oatman's dancing school opened last evening in the Bank of Charleroi Hall under most favorable auspices. Over 90 couples were present. Music was rendered by Oatman's orchestra of four pieces. Prof. Oatman will open a dancing school at Donora on Monday evening October 9.

His Sixth Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Laird of McKean avenue gave a birthday party Wednesday to their little son, Stanley to celebrate his sixth birthday. Eight of his young friends were present, and were delightfully entertained. Games and other amusements were features and a dainty lunch completed the entertainment.

First Meal of the Day.

Breakfast is, before all things, a respectable meal. One cannot imagine a man or woman who is always down punctually to breakfast, being other than a highly reputable member of society. A dinner may be frivolous, a supper may be hilarious, but a breakfast is always staid and solemn and conducive to the building up of a sound and sensible character.

Big Advance.

Native—Yes, sir, property round here has went up a lot in the last few years. Afore I was born my father bought land here for ten dollars an acre that ye couldn't touch now for less'n twelve-fifty—Century Magazine.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

Christ Lutheran.

Sixth and Washington. Sunday School at 9:45. Divine worship at 11 and 7:30, with sermons by the pastor. Luther League at 6:45. Leader, Harry B. Worthington. A cordial welcome to the public to come and worship in this church. Rev. Chalmers E. Frontz, pastor.

Episcopal.

Corner Sixth and Lookout. Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Anti-Communion service, sermon and celebration of the holy communion at 11. Subject of discourse, "The Blessedness of Meekness." Evening prayer and address at 7:30. All are cordially invited. Rev. Lucius W. Shey, rector.

French Presbyterian.

Sunday School at 9:30. Public worship at 10:30 and 7. Prayer meeting at 7:30. Brotherhood meeting Thursday at 7:45. Everybody welcome. Rev. J. E. Charles, Ph D., pastor.

Baptist.

Sunday School at 9:30. Morning preaching services at 11 o'clock by Rev. Thomas Corde of Pittsburgh. Young peoples meeting at 6:30. No evening service.

First Christian.

Rev. McGuiver of An Arbor, Mich., will preach at the First Christian Church tomorrow morning and evening. All other services the same as usual.

Washington Ave. Presbyterian.

Sabbath School at 9:45, followed by public worship at 11. Junior Endeavor at 2:30. Topic, "A Missionary Service." Senior Endeavor at 6:30. Leader, Miss Bessie Richey. Evening preaching service at 7:30. Topic for the morning sermon, "God's Goodness and Man's Reciprocity." Topic for the evening discourse, "Life Among the Lowly." The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Methodist.

Corner Sixth and Lincoln. Sunday School at 9:30. Public worship and sermon on "Christian Service: a Speculation," at 10:45. Junior Epworth League at 2. Epworth League at 6:30. Topic, "Christian Stewardship." Leader, T. F. Lindsay. Public worship and sermon on "Ambassador for the King" at 7:30. A cordial invitation extended to attend all these services. Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

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TODAY

Mutt and Jeff and the Country Judge.

An Indian Love.
Foolish Chauffeur.

Matinee daily, 2 to 4:30 p. m.
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If you never wore our Shoes, don't be stubborn about trying a pair—because you are only cutting off your nose to spite your face—you are missing comfort, style, quality and a great saving in your pocket book account. We can always fit the whole family with the best Shoes at the most popular prices.

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WANTED—A girl for general housework, in a family of 2. Apply XA Mail office. Salary, \$4.00 week. 55-tf

WANTED—Six to 8 horse power generator. Must be cheap. Address M. G. Mail office. 45-tf

FOR RENT—Five room house on McKean avenue between First and Second street. Inquire 461 Main street, Monongahela. 51-tf

FOR RENT—Four room flat \$8. 4 room house \$8. 3 room house \$7. Apply to G. M. Mail office. 45-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Apply 835 Fallowfield avenue. 44-tf

FOR SALE—Second hand safe. Apply Mail office. 43-tf

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Fox terrier dog from 305 Washington avenue. Six months old. Finder return to above address and receive reward. 54-2tp

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Our School Shoes

if you want satisfaction for your boys or girls. We have made Children's Footwear a specialty and for variety, durability and comfort we are one ahead of them all.

Just call and see.

Misses' Shoes in tan, patent and dull leather, button or blucher styles. Worth \$2.50 to \$3.00 our special..... **\$1.95**

Misses' Shoes in all leathers and styles Worth \$2.00 to \$2.25 our special..... **\$1.69**

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Boys' Shoes in dull leather, patent or tan, the kind you want. Worth \$2.00, our special..... **\$1.48**

169 prs. of Boys' Shoes in all styles and sizes. Worth \$1.50 to \$2.00 our special..... **98c**

All ladies' white canvas shoes **\$1.69**

It's Adolph of Coures

502 Fallowfield Avenue

CHARLEROI

PENN'A

THE CHARLEROI MAIL

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CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON CO., PA. THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1911

One Cent

PRIMARY ELECTION NOW IN PROGRESS

Indications That a Large
Vote Will Be Polled
in Charleroi

1,736 ARE REGISTERED

First Time Electors Vote for
County and Town Offic-
ers Together

For the first time since the passage of the constitutional amendments transferring the municipal elections from February to November Charleroi as well as every other election district in the State, will have the unusual experience of combining a local and county election. In addition to this Charleroi for the first time votes under the new division of precincts. This gives six polling places instead of three as formerly and for that reason the centers of political activity will be more scattered than ever before. The workers who make the rounds of the polling places to see that the faithful are lined up will have to use automobiles if they desire to be effective.

With both the local and county tickets to furnish inspiration, it is expected that a large vote will be polled in the borough. One of the largest registrations in the history of the town has been made, but it is not known just how many voters have left town since the shut-down of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass factory, and the failure of the Charleroi Coal Works to rebuild their tipple after it was burned last spring. According to the registry returns Charleroi has 1,736 voters divided among the six precincts as follows:

Charleroi-1st	462
Charleroi-2nd	276
Charleroi-3rd	190
Charleroi-4th	362
Charleroi-5th	202
Charleroi-6th	244

Total 1,736

Early this week the furnishings and equipment for the new polling places were received and have been distributed and put in place at the various polling places. Dr. Frank L. Crow, the Republican chairman of the first precinct, has had charge of the matter. The election boards in the different places were organized at the proper hour, some changes being necessary in one or two of the precincts to take care of some vacancies.

As the Mail goes to press voting is in progress, and workers for both local and county candidates are active. Thus far there is no particular bitterness likely to crop out in the contests, and the issue cannot be foretold in any particular case with any degree of certainty.

Notice
To the Republican voters of Charleroi. This is to notify you that I will not be a candidate for the office of School Director at the coming election. Thanking my friends for their kindness I am
Very Truly
Dr. Edwin McKay
53112

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Two Women On Ticket

Electors at County Seat Have
Opportunity to Display
Their Chivalry

For the first time in the history of Washington two women have announced for the nomination for School director. These are Mrs. Minnie Borchers for the four-year term and Mrs. Annie Murphy for the six-year term, who are candidates on the Democratic-Keystone ticket. Many believe they have a good chance to be nominated on one or the other ticket and have many friends and organizations of different kinds supporting them in their candidacy. The result today will show what the voters of that borough think about electing women to membership on the board. They are sure to get a good vote.

ADDS TO STATEMENT

Speaker Gives Author-
ity for Statement
Made in Debate

OMITTED FIRST TIME

To the Editor of the Charleroi Mail:

Sir-In order to remove every possibility of a doubt as to the truth of the statements made at Eldora Park in my reply to the affirmative of the question, I will give you the exact words. * * * (When Gertrude Hunt and Louis Goaziou publicly declared that the celebration in the Park on Labor Day was in honor of the fall of the Commune, August 29, 1871.) * * * "You men and women seem to be of one mind with the leaders of the French revolution, who led a harlot to the church of the Notre Dame in solemn procession, placed her naked above the Altar of the Cathedral, her feet trampling the Crucifix, and bowing to the dust, proclaimed her the Goddess of Reason."

See G. B. Denham, a Socialist writer in "The Proletarian Revolt." Maxime du Camp's official recital of outrage. Rev. William Stephens Kress, priest of the Ohio Apostolate in "Questions of Socialists," authorized by Ignatius F. Hortsmann, Bishop of Cleveland.

When I gave my authority for statements in Charleroi Mail September 26, I failed to mention this incident which led some people to believe that I had no proof.

Yours Truly,
Edward Callaghan.
Charleroi, Sept. 29, 1911.

Dancing School.
Oatman's Dancing class every Friday night at the Bank of Charleroi Hall. Beginners class at 7:30. Social dance 8:45. Orchestra. Now is your time to learn to dance, while others are learning. 55-51

RIVER DISTRICT HAS ONE-THIRD OF VOTERS

Total Registration in County is 30,170--East Side
Muster 10,661 With Nearly all Large
Centers of Population

According to the returns just completed at the commissioners' office at Washington there are 30,170 registered voters in the county. The registration is the largest ever reported to the commissioners and the indications are that with both the county and municipal candidates to nominate the vote at the primaries today will be unusually large. Charleroi leads the river district with the largest registration, 1,736. The registration of the principal towns along the river is as follows:

Charleroi	1,736
Monongahela	1,306
Donora	1,481
Allen Township	265
California	557
Centerville	275
Coal Centre	136
Carroll Township	864
East Bethlehem	357
Elco	178

East Pike Run 664
Fallowfield Township 314
Long Branch 63
North Charleroi 219
Roscoe 284
Speers 86
Stockdale 129
Twilight 78
Union 658
West Pike Run 264
West Brownsville 375

Total 10,661

With but few exceptions, the river districts are unusually large and concentrated, and for that reason the vote is the easiest to get out. It will also be seen that the river district has over one-third of the total registration, and as the Republicans of this district were most loyal last year, the river was the battle ground this year by the Republican candidates for the nominations.

AGITATORS FAIL TO FOMENT STRIKE

Marianna Mines Resume After
Trouble Caused by
Foreigners

The Marianna mines, which were idle a short time on account of some trouble engendered, it is said, by irresponsible agitators, resumed today and it is expected that the tonnage will exceed that of any of the best days they have experienced. The trouble was created by irresponsible newcomers who have been excluded from the miners' locals in the Pittsburgh district.

Failing to gain any recognition there this element harranged the foreigners and was successful in creating some disturbance in which the officials of the union were injured. However, the leaders were arrested and sent to jail and the miners concluded to return to work.

The mines are the steadiest in the district and the wages are the highest paid. None of the English speaking miners refused to work, nor did the foreigners when they learned the real situation.

The orders are piling up and the mines will be kept running through the winter months, so that steady employment is guaranteed to those now employed.

STATE ENGINEERS NOW AT RIVERVIEW

Working on Highways to Connect
Monongahela With
Finleyville

William Reed, engineer for the State Highway Department, accompanied by his assistant, Mr. Smith, arrived in Monongahela this week and are at work setting stakes for the new Mingo road. Work on this been placed under way, and a number of men are already employed. Operations will begin at the River-view switch, and pushed in the direction of Finleyville, allowing the portion of the road between the switch and the powerhouse to rest until such times as the controversy now on between the authorities and the road supervisors of Carroll township has been settled.

Gave Birthday Party.
Miss Lela Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Harris of Washington avenue, entertained a company of her young friends Wednesday afternoon to celebrate her birthday. Twenty-five of the little folks were present and all were delightfully entertained. Games and a delicious luncheon were the chief features of the party.

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CAR OWNERS OUT FOR TIME

Belle Vernon Contingent
Forms Club and Plans
Outing

The Belle Vernon Automobile Club has been organized with a membership of 21. Officers were elected and committees appointed to take care of the interests of the touring fraternity in that section. The first outing will be held early in October, at which time the club will invade the mountains of Fayette county on a chestnut hunt. With a party of about 80 people the members will dine at the Summit Hotel, near Uniontown.

Dr. George E. Nickel was made president of the association, Frank H. Steen secretary and Samuel S. Jones treasurer. A board of governors named is composed of Charles P. Speers, Dr. Harry C. Daly, Louis M. Kyle, B. Frank Taylor, William A. Mitchener, Dr. Nickel, Mr. Jones and Mr. Stein. Mr. Mitchener was appointed chairman of the road committee, Samuel W. Murphy of the legislative committee and Mr. Taylor of the social committee.

The new society has joined the Pennsylvania Motor Car association and American Automobile association a National organization that gives all members the right to purchase supplies in any State at a discount.

SOCIAL PLEASING AND PROFITABLE

"Sock" Social of Woman's Bible
Class Nets Church
Fund \$80

A "Sock Social," which was more in the nature of a reception, was held at the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church Friday. It was given by the Woman's Adult Bible class of the Sunday school and was largely attended. A musical and literary program was rendered, in which Mrs. I. T. Daniel sang and readings were given by Misses Clutter, Rylands, Walters and Groves. Rev. G. G. Kerr of Canonsburg, former pastor of the church, was present and made an address. At the conclusion of the exercises luncheon was served in the basement. The proceeds of the social amounted to over \$80.

Class Had Pleasant Time.
Samuel Cheshire's Sunday School class of young men met at the home of Joseph Pearson Friday evening to spend a few hours socially. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

Home Grown Potatoes at the City Grocery, 30c a peck. 54112

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CHARLEROI FAMILY WERE ALL DEPORTED

Force On
Double Shift

Government Workmen Hus-
tling to Fix Gate for Up
River Lock

Much activity is being displayed at the Government Boat Yards at North Charleroi this week. The regular yard crew has been increased by combining with the crew of the steamer Slackwater and two shifts are working day and night in order to get a new gate completed to take the place of one recently damaged and put out of commission at Lock No. 9 during the late high water. It is thought the repairs will be partly completed by next week when one gate will be put in and another one dismantled and repaired. At present only small boats and flats can be passed through Lock No. 9, as only one gate at the lower end can be operated.

CHAMPS PHOTOED

Winners of the Church
League Pennant In-
teresting Group

TEAM HAD 13 VICTORIES

An echo of the recent Charleroi Church League base ball season comes with the completion of a large group picture of the Lutheran Champions, which Photographer Bordell Clutter claims to be the best thing ever turned out in a baseball way. This official photograph group contains no less than 23 individuals, all of whom did loyal service in making the Lutherans the best winning combination ever gotten together in Charleroi. These photos are now on exhibition, and are grouped as follows:

J. K. Johnston, president; Bob Vetter, vice president; Rev. C. E. Frontz, D. D.; Joseph Steck, executive board officer; "Abe" Levinson, signal bureau; Joe Mason, coach and middle field; Ralph Miller, captain and pitcher; Waho Bill Fleming, catcher; Joe Steck, short-stop; Chevy Mason, first base; Eddie Butz, second base; Neal Motts, third base; Sharkey Vitovich, left field; Cap. Wertz, right field; Doc. Patton, utility out field; Jess Cupps, utility infield; Red Hartland, pitcher; G. Gehring, secretary and treasurer; Bob Allen, physical director; Dorby, Red and Schultz, bat and pepper boys.

In addition to their record of 13 victories and one defeat in the Church League, the Lutherans also defeated Allegheny High School, the Jersey Bloomer Girls, and the Liggett A. C. of Monongahela, a winning percentage of .941, and the best ever made by any Charleroi team.

Church League Echoes.
Predictions for next season!
There are thousands of good "cold-
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Wife and Children Go
With Husband Who
Confessed Charge

ARREST MADE HERE

German Government Traces
Criminal and Takes Him.
Back for Trial

Jacob Becker, alias Jacob Biggett alias Paul Schreiber, who was arrested in Charleroi on September 17 by Immigrant Inspector W. W. Sibray, on a charge of being in the United States unlawfully, was Friday morning in company with his wife and three children, taken to New York by Inspector William Poser. This morning the family who were taken to Pittsburgh from Charleroi Friday were to be placed on board the steamer Vaterland and taken back to their former home at Friedrichsthal, Germany. According to the German authorities, Becker is wanted there for a number of burglaries.

At one time Becker was considered a wealthy man in his home town. Then came reverses in which he lost all of his money and his home. Becoming desperate it is said, Becker turned thief. He continued his operations until the police began to suspect him, and on hearing that he was about to be arrested from one of the policemen who was his friend, he fled Friedrichsthal. He went first to Belgium, and later to Amsterdam, where he secured a position as a machinist on a freighter, bound for America.

When the ship arrived here Becker deserted at Philadelphia. He then wrote to a friend of his who had been in Charleroi for the past 10 years for a railroad ticket to that place. Receiving the ticket, Becker came to Charleroi, where he secured a position as a miner. By saving his money Becker soon had the required amount to pay the passage to this country of his wife and three children.

The wife and children arrived in Charleroi two months ago and everything went well until Becker's conscience began hurting him. He then wrote a letter to the police authorities at the town he had left, confessing to the crimes. Nothing was heard from the police authorities by Becker for some time, when Inspector Sibray, who had been informed of the case by the German authorities, went to Charleroi and placed Becker under arrest.

The next day Becker was brought to Pittsburgh, and while in the office of Inspector Sibray made a sensational escape. A chase followed, but Becker outdistanced his pursuers. The next day Inspector Sibray went back to Becker's home and found him there. He was arrested and committed to jail to await the action of the immigration authorities in Philadelphia. Word came to Inspector Sibray yesterday to deport Becker and his family.

NOTICE
On account of Monday being a holiday our store will not be open for business until after 6 p. m. Greenberg's, Fifth street and McKean avenue. 54-42

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Sept. 30 in American History.

1800—War between United States and France ended. It began July 9, 1798.
1804—George Frisbie Hoar, United States senator from Massachusetts, died; born 1827.
1809—Perry's arctic ship, the Roosevelt, arrived in New York harbor.
Frederick Russell Burton, composer, whose Indian cantata "Hiawatha," produced in 1898, made him a well known figure in the musical world in America and abroad; died; born 1861.
1910—Winslow Homer, famous American painter, died; born 1834.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 5:40, rises 5:52; moon sets 10:35 p. m.; moon farthest south and lowest. Midnight. 273 days of the year past, 92 to follow. Sun's declination, 2 degrees, 49 minutes, south of celestial equator.

THE HOME CANDIDATE.

With the contest for county nominations at the primary at an end, it is up to the voters to do the rest. By the time this issue of the Mail is out voting will have begun and it will continue until 8 o'clock this evening, when the polls close. The question now is in the hands of the voters, and until they decide there can be little more than conjecture as to what the result will be.

Those communities that have home candidates can do little else than give them a good complimentary vote. That should be a matter of civic pride, as the town that will not stand behind one of its own citizens politically cannot be depended upon to act with any kind of unanimity on public questions. A town should be loyal to its own whenever one of its citizens seeks preferment or honors in any field of advancement. It is a self-evident fact that few if any ever seek such honors without the requisite qualifications, and that being the case, all things are equal, and the home candidate should be given the choice.

John H. Bowers is a candidate for the Republican nomination for county treasurer. He is one of the substantial citizens of Charleroi. He has contributed liberally and worked hard for the advancement of the town. He is one whose aid and counsel is sought in all public enterprises, and in this honor he seeks his neighbors and fellow citizens should reciprocate for the public service he has given gratuitously for the good and well being of the community. Should he win the election it will redound to the honor of and prestige of Charleroi, and advance the importance of the town in the administration of county affairs.

No matter how personal likes or prejudices may figure, a town ranks higher in the estimation of the outside world that will loyally stand

back of one of its own citizens who seek public honors and preferment.

GRIM YISSAGED WAR

Unless the embryotic war which Italy has virtually declared against Turkey by the seizure of Tripoli in Africa is averted, Andrew Carnegie's propaganda for peace will be proven a failure and civilization will again witness the spectacle of wholesale murder. Unless the belligerents are pulled off by the other powers, some more deadly complications are likely to follow.

It is probable that in the predestined plan for the advancement of civilization this war is inevitable. Italy wants Tripoli in order to expand—as a place to send her surplus population, and under existing conditions the country is utterly useless in the march of human progress onward and upward. There is really no excuse for the existence of such a government as that maintained and administered by Turkey, and the quicker it is taken and partitioned by the Christian nations, the better for humanity in general. The march of civilization is oft times hastened more by the sword than by moral suasion, and this move by Italy is only history repeating itself.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

What are friends for if not to criticize?

When the call of duty makes a noise like the jingling of silver, it is easy to obey it.

It is only the wealthy who can afford to lead the simple life.

The woman who has an eye for the beautiful is the one who hunts up a mirror.

The way some women rig out their kids makes it hard to tell whether they're stylish or poor.

In bowing to the inevitable it's wise to inject some cordiality into the salute.

Instead of being railroaded into prison as many claim, they are trolley-carried into those institutions.

One of the troubles these days is that too many people mistake their yearnings for their incomes.

Most of the colleges for men teach sewing, but the art is usually confined to wild oats.

Men's wives might be considered the circumstances over which they have no control.

Some men's honesty will stand the test of millions but fall down when it faces an unattached lead pencil.

If every man were a drum major in the band who'd carry the base drum?

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Samuel C. Todd, who is a member of Governor J. K. Tener's cabinet in the capacity of Executive Controller, relates some interesting experiences since he went to Harrisburg. As an invited guest he attended the convention of Governors which was recently held in the east, and he states that the affair was most enjoyable. There were over thirty of the Governors present, and the convention was a big experience meeting.

"There was no formality," said Mr. Todd. "The meetings were held by a different Governor being chosen each day to preside and the different executives told of various economic issues and public enterprises in their respective States. Public policies were discussed and the different Governors told how they did it at home."

"For instance, the Governor of Colorado told how convict labor was employed on the public roads, and worked well. The convicts were put on their honor that they would not attempt to escape, and but a slight guard was in control. Good work was accomplished, and in no instance was the parole violated. The Governor of Georgia for instance, would then tell his experience, and state how such a method would be impractical in his State, owing to the different class of population."

"Of all the Governors present none were more popular than Governor Tener, who, when he presided, told of the State Highway system that Pennsylvania has adopted, and which is to be carried through. This is perhaps the most comprehensive system of any

of the States, and the plan was widely discussed. The Governors were a bunch of practical good fellows, and the meetings were the same as if a company of Charleroi citizens had gotten together to discuss some borough enterprise. No politics was mentioned and I did not know the political affiliations of half the Governors I met."

"While at the convention," continued Mr. Todd, we visited Fort Henry one of the fortifications defending New York harbor, and they gave us there an exhibition of gunnery. A big 18-inch coast defense gun on a disappearing carriage was fired at a target seven miles out in the harbor. The gun crew loaded it in a jiffy with a projectile weighing 1,040 pounds, and three bags of powder weighing 300 pounds. With instruments and calculations they determined the range, and then the gun slowly arose from out of the pit on its disappearing carriage and the shot was fired. A tremendous crash followed. Although I put my fingers in my ears I did not take the flash into consideration, and that nearly scared me out of my senses. Everything seemed enveloped in flame.

"The next time I knew what was coming, and after the shot I could note the effects. The recoil threw the gun on its disappearing carriage back down into the pit, where it was reloaded. The first shot went a little to the right of the target. Some of their party held their watches and after the second shot was fired in 12 seconds it passed through the center of the target seven miles out in the ocean. We could distinctly hear the big projectile whizz through the air after the shot was fired. The whole thing was most interesting to me."

Found a Way to Help.

A worthy old Quaker who lived in a country town in England was rich and benevolent, and his means were put in frequent requisition for purposes of local charity or usefulness. The townspeople wanted to rebuild their parish church, and a committee was appointed to raise funds. It was agreed that the Quaker could not be asked to subscribe toward an object so contrary to his principles; but on the other hand, so true a friend to the town might take it amiss if he was not at least consulted on a matter of such general interest. So one of their number went and explained to him their project; the old church was to be removed and such and such steps taken toward the construction of a new one.

"There was," the Quaker said, "in supposing that my principles would not allow me to assist in building a church. But didst thee not say something about pulling down a church? Thee may'st put my name down for a hundred pounds."—Merivale's "Historical Studies."

Gautier's Superstition.

Theophile Gautier, the critic, novelist and poet, like many another great man, was superstitious and believed in the evil eye. Offenbach was his aversion, and in this respect a Paris contemporary tells us that one day the son and father were walking together. The son, for wickedness' sake, started a conversation about Offenbach, and his father gave him to understand that the subject was disagreeable. Nothing daunted, the lad led Gautier to a shop window where was exposed a photograph of the composer.

As they resumed their walk the son observed, "Well, you see, father, after all, nothing has happened through looking at the photograph." At that moment they were turning the corner, and the son preceded his father. In full view of the passerby Gautier administered to his tormentor a paternal kick, observing, half in anger and half in humor, "Well, something has happened."

A Great Difference.

In a spread-eagle speech on the immortality of the soul, an orator exclaimed: "I looked at the mountains, and could not help thinking, 'Beautiful as you are, you will some day be destroyed, while my soul will not.' Then I gazed upon the ocean, and cried out, 'Mighty as you are, you will some day dry up, but I never will!'"

Glass Beads in Demand.

There has recently sprung up a sudden demand for glass beads. They are used for beautifying costumes for women, for interior house decorating and a variety of other purposes.

Low Fares to the West.

Pennsylvania Railroad. Tickets to Rocky Mountains, Pacific Coast, Western Canada, Mexico and Southwestern points on sale every day until October 14, inclusive at reduced fares. Consult nearest Ticket Agent.

NOTICE.

On Saturday, September 30, the laundry of William Yee and Frank Fong on Sixth street will be sold to Yee Wah. Any person owing money to the above firm or any person having bills against them are requested to call and settle before the above date. All accounts must be closed by the 30th as after that time I will not be responsible for same.

Yee Wah. 50-68

The Panama Hat.

A popular comedian at a Lancers club gambol in New York told a Panama hat story.

"A young clerk out my way," he said, "gave his girl a present of a Panama hat last year. Then the day before the Fourth he got a couple of compliments for a Panama hat, and he went down the river, and he wired the girl:

"Meet me at pier 10 tomorrow morning at 7. Please. Bring Panama."

"The next morning as he stood on pier 10 dreaming dreams of love, in evening a boat, sweet day of billing and cooing, he saw his girl advancing with her father and mother. He was terribly annoyed, and on the boat, as soon as he could get her alone, he blushed:

"What did you want to bring the old fellow?"

"Why, will you told me to," she said, and she showed him the telegram, which the operator had made to read:

"Bring pa and ma."

Whistler Before Whistler.

Mortimer Menpes told the following story of Whistler, who was to deliver an address one day to the Society of British Artists: "The master at length entered, faultlessly dressed, walking with a swinging, jaunty step, evidently quite delighted with himself and the world in general. He passed down the gallery, ignoring the assembled members, and walked up to his own picture. And there he stayed for quite fifteen minutes, regarding it with a satisfied expression, stepping now backward, now forward, canting his head and dusting the surface of the glass with a silk pocket handkerchief. We watched him open mouthed. Suddenly he turned round, beamed upon us and uttered but two words—'Bravo, bravo!' then took my arm and hurried me to the next room, talking

Counted Ants for Two Years.

A marvel of scientific research, says our Berlin correspondent, has been accomplished by Professor Young, who has been investigating the interior condition of anthills. By dint of patient observation Professor Young discovered that an anthill two feet in height was inhabited by 93,780 ants. Other anthills of almost the same size were found to contain 67,500, 53,000 and 48,000 ants respectively. These observations and the counting of the tiny insects occupied two years.—London Evening Standard.

Ships That Cross the Bar.

As a general thing the kind of man who is always waiting for his ship to come in is willing for you to buy him a schooner of beer.—Galveston News

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Republican Primaries

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J. H. Bowers X

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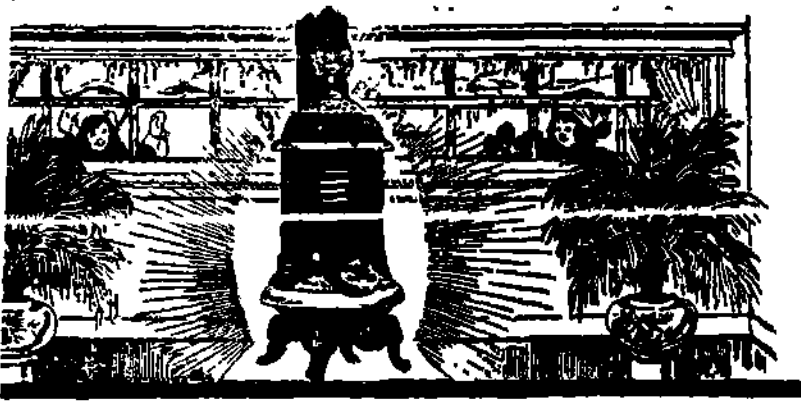
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2nd. He has thoroughly qualified himself as to ability and fitness by his work as Deputy Controller in producing and installing a system of bookkeeping in the County Controller's office, by which the taxpayers can learn every day all about the fiscal affairs of Washington County.

3rd. He is not a slated candidate but a candidate of the people and not a slate maker but a slate breaker. Vote for him.

Among the Theatres

THE PALACE—CHARLEROI.

"Saving the Standard," was a pretty mediaeval melodrama. The story was that of the storming and capture of a fortress after which a fair woman prisoner secures and conceals the captured standard of her house. She sends a message by means of a carrier pigeon to friends, who succor the prisoners just as the woman is being subjected to a heroic test to make her give up the standard. The Pathe Weekly film was the usual strong feature with its bulletin of international events, as well as a thrilling photoplay, "Saved from the Torrents," which showed the bravery of a young girl in saving an express train. Miss Helen Atwell's singing is also a big drawing card, and her spot light selections are highly enjoyed by the large crowds that throng the Palace nightly.

THE STAR—CHARLEROI.

Another good repertoire at the Star Theatre this week added to the attractions which Manager Tom Cowan is giving to the people of this community, not the least attractive of which is his matinees beginning every afternoon at 2 o'clock. Among the strong photoplays of the week were "Colleen Bawn," "Battle of Wills," "Fortunes of War," "Cowboy's Loyalty," "The Edelweiss," and many others. The pictures are changed daily and with something new and novel every day the Star still holds its popularity and increases its attendance.

THE GRAND—PITTSBURG.

One of the most interesting announcements in a theatrical way this week is that of the engagement at the Grand Opera house, beginning Monday afternoon, October 2, of Sydney Drew-Lionel Barrymore and company in a condensation of Richard Brinsley Sheridan's immortal comedy, "The Rivals." This tabloid version of the evergreen English classic has been christened "Bob Acres" and in its presentation Mr. Drew and Mr. Barrymore are aided by the youngest member of the Drew family, S. Rankin Drew, and also by Beresford Lovett and Frederic Bernard.

It is, therefore with more than passing significance that Mr. Harry Davis announces the Drew-Barrymore engagement as the chief feature of his vaudeville performance next week.

Moreover, he has surrounded this extraordinary attraction with numerous other headliners. He will present the Eight English Palace Girls, assisted by James Clemono, the premier dancing eccentric of England in a series of singing and dancing revues.

Paul LaCroix, the mad hatter, will give his eccentric juggling specialties.

Wynn and Russon, Mr. Wynn being the eccentric member of the old team of Wynn and Lewis, will present a patter act. The Majestic Trio will discourse sweet music. Hugh Lloyd, "the wry Scotchman," assisted by Beatrice Southwick will do some dangerous and comic things upon a bounding. There will be several other acts and some good moving pictures in the program.

THE NIXON—PITTSBURG.

The comedy "Seven Days" that Messrs. Wagenhals & Kemper will be presented at the "Nixon Theatre" Monday October 2, a twentieth century romance, is cleverly depicted in love and laughter. Mary Roberts Rinehart and Avery Hopwood who wrote the comedy have shown accurately and amusingly how present day folk treat sentiment. The play traps a dinner party of New York's smart set in a quarantine. Of these is "Bubbles" Wilson who fancies he'd like to marry Kit McNair, another of the captives. Does he go on his knees to tell her so? Not much! He sits behind her and smiles that he'd be about the happiest fellow in the world if she'd have him "Don't ask me to get down on my knees," he says, "I'm too fat." He keeps on smiling when, as he expresses it she laughingly "lets him down easy." Then there is Tom Harrison. He too, is in love, and he tells her so, like this: "If you need me, just send this message, 'I want you,' and I'll come if I'm in South America, China or—hell." He gets his answer. "I want you, but I'm not sure I want you back from that last place you mentioned."

So through the play love runs gaily, and when it stabs sharpest, laughter is merriest, as is the way in this generation. The wonder is that the authors could have started their fun flowing so spontaneously and kept it going so unflaggingly. A third year in New York is the overstepping record of "Seven Days" a third year at the Astor Theatre, whence it comes to Pittsburgh, roadway cast and production complete.

THE ALVIN—PITTSBURG.

Holbrook Blinn will be the attraction at the Alvin Theatre during the week of October 2 when he will present "The Boss," a play by Edward Sheldon, author of "Salvation Nell" and "The Nigger." Mr. Blinn's abilities as a player of strong character roles are well known, owing to his many visits to the city with Mrs. Fiske, with whom he played the leading male roles in "The Pillars of Society," "Hannele," and other plays. In "The Boss" Mr. Blinn is said to give a remarkable delineation of a certain type of "boss" common to American cities. This man, Michael Regan has won power and in doing so has not hesitated to crush his opponents and business rivals. Among the latter is James D. Griswold and the character is best illustrated by the fact that just as he is about to force Griswold to the wall, he meets his daughter Emily, conceives a sudden regard for her and offers himself as her husband. To save her father's failing fortunes, she accepts. Naturally the marriage is not a happy one, as the wife is antagonistic to her husband, and his coarse and often brutal methods in handling opposition disgust her.

The play tells the story of how the wife's antagonism and virtual dislike of Regan is little by little turned into admiration and love, and how the man, purified by defeat and heart worry, ultimately develops the best that is in him. "The Boss" would hardly be a Sheldon play if it did not introduce some startling episodes, but the love interest, it is said, looks big throughout the play. The time is the present and the characters are said to be familiar types.

Nothing to Quarrel About.

There are a few men who are foolish enough to quarrel about where they would go to, if they only had enough money to go some.

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Vote for Thomas Mitchell for County Commissioner.

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For County Treasurer

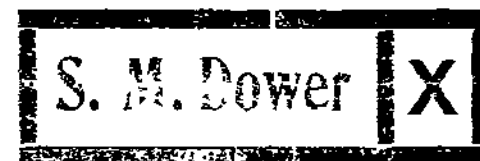


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HOMER H. SPRIGGS

Makes His Position Clear Concerning the Handling of the County Funds Elected Treasurer.

TO THE TAXPAYERS OF WASHINGTON COUNTY:

If nominated and elected to the office of County Treasurer, I will take charge of said office untangled by political or business promises and will conduct the office on strict business principles. I will furnish my own bond and will obtain for the county the largest possible rate of interest on its money.

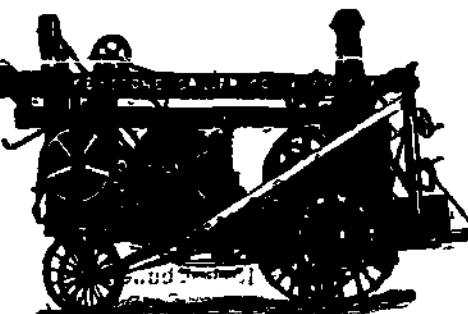
consisting with the safety of the funds.

Personally, I favor a salary for the office of County Treasurer.

If you are satisfied with the foregoing statement, being fair to taxpayers at large, I respectfully solicit your vote and influence at the coming primaries, Sept. 30, 1911.

HOMER H. SPRIGGS

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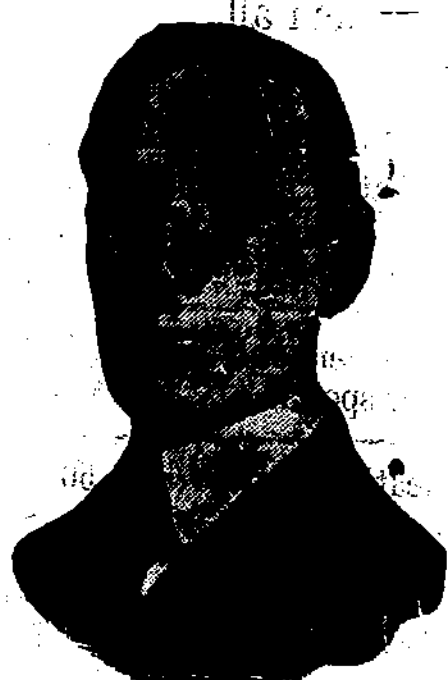
A vote for him is a vote for a square deal.

A vote for him is a vote to maintain the independence of the Republican Party of Washington County.

(For District Attorney---Vote for One)

Ralph M. Allison X

To the Voters of Washington County



I am a candidate for re-nomination for the office of District Attorney on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held Saturday, September 30th, 1911.

During my present term you have had an opportunity to observe the manner in which the office has been conducted. If the administration of the office during that period has met with your approval, then I respectfully ask for your support at the coming primaries.

If re-nominated and re-elected I promise that the policy of the office will be the same in the future as it has been in the past, and that its administration will not be influenced by questions of politics or of political expediency.

C. L. V. Acheson

I AM NOT ON THE "SLATE"
WILL YOU HELP ME TO BREAK IT?

The Best She Could Do.
"There is only one reason," he said, "why I have never asked you to be my wife."
"What is that?" she asked.
"I have always been half afraid you might refuse."
"Well," she whispered after a long silence, "I should think you'd have curiosity enough to want to find out whether your suspicion was well founded or not."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Damascus Swords.
It is seldom that a really good specimen of a Damascus sword can be obtained, for the art of working and engraving the kind of steel of which they are made is lost. These famous swords were made of alternate layers of iron and steel so finely tempered that the blade would bend to the hilt without breaking.

She Needed Them! All.
There are over 200,000 words in the English language, and most of them were used last Sunday by a lady who discovered after coming out of church that her stunning new hat was adorned with a price tag on which was written, "Reduced to \$2.75."—Norborne (Mo.) Leader.

Virtues That Command Success.
Vigilance in watching opportunity; tact and daring in seizing upon opportunity; force and persistence in crowding opportunity to its utmost of possible achievement—these are the martial virtues which must command success.—Phelps.

Always in Readiness.
There was an officer in Rome whose business it was to always have his doors open in order to receive any Roman who applied to him for help.

ANNOUNCEMENTS OF BOROUGH OFFICIALS

For Justice of the Peace
E. E. RICE
Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries, Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911.

For Justice of the Peace.
Joseph A. Wheeler
Subject to Republican Rules
Primaries Saturday Sept. 30, 1911.

For Justice of the Peace.
L. P. Flickinger
Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911.

For Justice of the Peace.
Andrew N. Jenkins
Subject to Republican Rules
Primaries, Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911.

For Council
Four Years.
John G. Albright
Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries, Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911.

For Council
Two Years.
Frank Riva
Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911.

For Council
Four Years.
John K. Rickey
Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911.

For Council
Four Years
D. R. Duvall
Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911.

For Council
Two Years.
John B. Campbell
Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911.

For Constable
John Higgins
Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries Saturday Sept. 30, 1911.

For Borough Constable
G. W. Corey
Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries, Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
JOHN J. CAIRNS.
ROSCOE, PA.
Primaries, Sept. 30, 1911.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
A. W. CLEMENS
Buffalo Township
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911
Subject to Republican Rules

For County Commissioner,
TOM MITCHEL
Washington, Pa.
Subject to Republican Rules.

For County Commissioner,
Wm. Hazen
Hopewell Township
Subject to Democratic-Keystone Party Rules.

FOR SHERIFF
R. G. LUTTON
of Washington
Subject to Republican Rules,
Primaries Sept. 30.

FOR SHERIFF
T. J. UNDERWOOD
CALIFORNIA, PA.
Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911.

FOR REGISTER OF WILLS
BOYD PARSHALL
WASHINGTON, PA.
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911.

FOR REGISTER OF WILLS
FRANK B. WICKERHAM
MONONGAHELA, PA.
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911.

FOR REGISTER
Loren F. Hopkins
CENTERTVILLE, PA.
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911
Subject to Republican Rules

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
HOMER H. SPRIGGS
EAST WASHINGTON
Formerly of West Bethlehem Township
Subject to Republican Rules
Primaries September 30, 1911.
Your Vote and Influence Solicited.

Business Directory

Hugh E. Fergus
Attorney-At-Law
F. Howland Avenue, Charleroi

Bell Phone 68-R Charleroi 123-2
MISS BRADEN
Professional Nurse
401 Crest Ave. Charleroi, Pa.

Joseph A. Wheeler
Teacher of Violin
Studio 424 Fallowfield Avenue,
Bell Phone 115-J Charleroi, Pa.

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MRS. NEALER
Bell Phone 28-R Charleroi, Pa.
206 Fourth St.

Read The Mail

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
J. H. BOWERS
Charleroi, Pa.
Subject to Republican Rules
Primaries, Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911
From 2 p. m. to 8 p. m.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
C. S. Ritchie
NORTH FRANKLIN
According to Rules of Republican Party
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911

FOR PROTHONOTARY
JOE W. MARTIN
OF CALIFORNIA.
Subject to the decision of the Democratic-Keystone voters at the Primary election, Saturday, September 30.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY
Ralph M. Allison
Washington, Pa.
Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries, Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911.

For District Attorney
C. L. V. Acheson
Washington, Pa.
Subject to Republican Rules
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911.

FOR DIRECTOR OF POOR
R. W. Wolfe, M. D.
Taylorstown, Pa.
Subject to rules of Republican party.

For Director of Poor
H. D. Browneller
EAST PIKE RUN
ADDRESS—West Brownsville
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911
Subject to Republican Rules
Your Vote and Influence Solicited

For Director of Poor
Samuel A. McCalmont
MT. PLEASANT TOWNSHIP
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911 Subject to Republican Rules Your vote and influence solicited.

FOR DIRECTOR OF THE POOR
J. S. WALTZ
West Alexander, Pa.
Subject to Republican Rules.
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911
Your Support Respectfully Solicited.

FOR CLERK OF COURTS
W. S. LOCKHART
MCDONALD, PENNA.
SUBJECT TO REPUBLICAN RULES
YOUR SUPPORT SOLICITED

For Coroner
James T. Heffran
SPEERS, PA.
Subject to Republican Rules
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911
Your Support Solicited

A Good Recommendation

The conservative methods of this bank and its record of nearly 13 years of successful banking, as well as the courteous treatment you will receive to make all your relations with this institution satisfactory and pleasant, are our best recommendation.

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"Things are never just right in this world," complained old St. Chestnut to the Sedgwick Pantagraph. "When I was a young man I never could buy a buggy with a seat that was narrow enough. Now that I am an old married man I can't find a buggy with a seat that is wide enough to suit me."

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Busy Days in the
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As fast as the Fall Hats leave—new ones arrive to take their place. Its this ever changing variety that draws people to this Millinery Department—and why not, where can you get more beautiful hats—Copies of the latest models as shown in New York and direct from Paris. If there is anything new in Millinery we'll have it—Its one of our big departments, and if you've a hat to buy come here and see the beautiful hats we show—no two alike and rightly priced.



The New FALL COATS That Have Just Arrived Fancy Cloths, Plushes, Caraculs

Our buyers have hardly returned from New York, when these coats commenced to come—and they are so handsome—all that new and desirable, and there are so many clever and snappy coats that it is hard to describe them—Two Toned effects, Reversibles, Plaid lined and trimmed, The New Polo Coats with shopping bag, large flapping pockets, immense rolling coats, large buttons all add to the beauty of these garments—We've made some good buys in our line of Plushes and Caraculs—That will be your savings—Coats for Women—Coats for Misses and for Children—Hundreds of them and hardly any two alike—Splendid Values at

\$5, \$8, \$10, \$15, \$25

Charming New Fall Suits

NEVER BEFORE DURING ANY SEASON have the styles of suits shown so many beautiful weaves—every day brings something new. Fine broadcloths, Kerseys, Basket Weaves, French Serges, Wide Whale Serges and a host of beautiful new Fancy Mixtures. The short coat predominates again this season, the skirts handsomely plain, mostly habit back—they fit the figure perfectly and add a key note to the style that is decidedly attractive and charming to behold. Come in and let our salespeople show you—try them on, the ideas you will gather from our display will doubly pay you. Prices of these beautiful new men tailored garments are especially attractive. Come, let us show you

Charleroi's Largest
and Best Store

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We Give S. & H. Green Stamps.

Ask for them.

To the Republican Voters of Washington County

If the Republican party of Washington County wants to retrieve the losses of last year, and present its unbroken front of former years, it must purge itself of would-be bosses and come clean. The popular vote at the primaries makes the contest for the nominations an open field for every candidate, and any attempt or effort to dictate and control this vote is an insult to the intelligence of the voters and an injury to the principles of the objects of the great Republican party.

I believe it is to the interest of all good Republicans in the County to destroy all combinations and break all slates at the primaries that are designed to advance personal interests and traffic for future political honors and patronage. I believe that the people want candidates WITH CLEAN RECORDS AND WHO ARE NOT SUBJECT TO DICTATION AND BOSSISM to go before the voters in November, and for that reason I announced my candidacy for the nomination for COUNTY TREASURER, and have made my canvass personally and alone, INDEPENDENT OF ANY BOSSES OR SLATE MAKERS.

I appeal to the great mass of independent voters of the Republican party—the voters who have to bear the brunt of the taxes and pay the bills—to support the independent candidate who is not a party to any political deals and has no interests to serve but the welfare of the public. The official who serves the people is the one who keeps down the rate of taxation.

When I announced my platform I made specific pledges as to the handling of the county funds, I promised that—

If nominated and elected to the office of County Treasurer I will ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR THE DEPOSIT OF THE COUNTY FUNDS, AND AWARD THE SAME TO THE BANKS THAT WILL PAY THE HIGHEST RATE OF INTEREST AND ARE ABLE TO PROPERLY SECURE THE COUNTY.

No other candidate for County Treasurer has made such a specific pledge. Others have said they would deposit the county funds "to the best interests of the County," or words to that effect, but none have been so explicit as I have.

All that the law can compel a County Treasurer to do is to GIVE BONDS FOR THE SAFETY OF THE FUNDS IN HIS CUSTODY, PAY OUT THE SAME ON PROPER VOUCHER, ACCOUNT FOR THE AMOUNT IN HAND, AND TURN OVER THE SAME TO HIS SUCCESSOR AT THE EXPIRATION OF HIS TERM. A County Treasurer does not have to look to the profit of the county in handling the funds unless he sees fit to do so. I would secure interest on my idle funds I may have in the conduct of my private business, and I promise to do the same with the county funds if nominated and elected County Treasurer.

It is stated on good authority that the idle funds of the county now on deposit in banks and not drawing interest is WORTH \$1,000 A MONTH TO THOSE BANKS.

I PROMISE IF THE VOTERS NOMINATE AND ELECT ME TO THE OFFICE OF COUNTY TREASURER TO GIVE THE TAXPAYERS THE BENEFIT OF THIS PROFIT SO FAR AS POSSIBLE, INSTEAD OF THE BANKS.

WILL YOU GIVE ME YOUR VOTE FOR COUNTY TREASURER?

JOHN H. BOWERS

LIGHTED TORCH CAUSES EXPLOSION

Peter New, employed by the Pittsburgh Steel company at Monessen while examining a barrel of oil, Friday used a lighted torch. Gasses had generated in the receptacle and in the explosion he was badly burned about the head, face and body. He was taken to his home in Ros-traver avenue, Monessen and is said to be in a serious condition.

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weather" players.

President "Doc" McKay says the Church League article is superior to that now served up on Forbes Field.

A world's series between Jock Mcneef's Monessen Lutherans and Joe Mason's Charleroi Lutherans would make a hummer.

Manager "Foxy" McCloskey has not talked much base ball since the close of the season.

Doc. Patton is having his batting-eye reblocked.

Cap. Wertz has a wind-shield made for his throwing arm.

Lou. Mitchell's batting average of .161 Fahr. is counting against him in this political fight.

Captain R. Dale Joliffe has again announced his retirement from the skinned infield.

Sam. Todd is going to organize a Church League in Harrisburg.

Jack Rickey has given up base ball to enter politics. Tough luck for the other right fielders.

When it comes to doing lots of and always being on the job, Prof. Daniels is the certified goods. He is a real lover of base ball.

Ex-Manager Booth is figuring out some new plays.

Perc Pollock claims that the Methodists did win a game, all claims to the contrary notwithstanding, heretofore set forth.

LOCAL MENTION

After returning home from a short visit at Elizabeth, Misses Clementa and Elizabeth Pardini in company with their grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Ferry, left Friday for McDonald, where they will visit friends at that place.

Miss Mayme Bezy returned home from a two months' visit with relatives in Kokomo, Ind., New Albany and Louisville, Ky.

James Coyne returned to his home in Cleveland, Ohio, after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. Bezy.

"Lefty" McIlveen, the noted former State College athlete, is visiting friends in Charleroi.

V. E. Reeves and B. D. Blaker are attending the double header between Philadelphia and Pittsburgh at Pittsburgh today.

J. K. Johnston, superintendent of the Charleroi Coal Works returned today from a vacation spent in the New England States. Mrs. Johnson will remain at her former home in Connecticut for a few weeks yet.

Ninety Couples Present.

Prof. Fred Oatman's dancing school opened last evening in the Bank of Charleroi Hall under most favorable auspices. Over 90 couples were present. Music was rendered by Oatman's orchestra of four pieces. Prof. Oatman will open a dancing school at Donora on Monday evening October 9.

His Sixth Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Laird of McKean avenue gave a birthday party Wednesday to their little son, Stanley to celebrate his sixth birthday. Eight of his young friends were present, and were delightfully entertained. Games and other amusements were features and a dainty lunch completed the entertainment.

First Meal of the Day.

Breakfast is, before all things, a respectable meal. One cannot imagine a man or woman who is always down punctually to breakfast: being other than a highly reputable member of society. A dinner may be frivolous, a supper may be hilarious, but a breakfast is always solid and solemn and conducive to the building up of a sound and sensible character.

Big Advance.

Native—Yes, sir, property round here has went up a lot in the last few years. Afore I was born my father bought land here for ten dollars—an acre that ye couldn't touch now for less'n twelve-fifty.—Century Magazine.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

Christ Lutheran.

Sixth and Washington. Sunday School at 9:45. Divine worship at 11 and 7:30, with sermons by the pastor. Luther League at 6:45. Leader, Harry B. Worthington. A cordial welcome to the public to come and worship in this church. Rev. Chalmers E. Frontz, pastor.

Episcopal.

Corner Sixth and Lookout. Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Anti-Communion service, sermon and celebration of the holy communion at 11. Subject of discourse, "The Blessedness of Meekness." Evening prayer and address at 7:30. All are cordially invited. Rev. Lucius W. Shey, rector.

French Presbyterian.

Sunday School at 9:30. Public worship at 10:30 and 7. Prayer meeting at 7:30. Brotherhood meeting Thursday at 7:45. Everybody welcome. Rev. J. E. Charles, Ph D., pastor.

Baptist.

Sunday School at 9:30. Morning preaching services at 11 o'clock by Rev. Thomas Corde of Pittsburgh. Young peoples meeting at 6:30. No evening service.

First Christian.

Rev. McGuiver of Anarbor, Mich., will preach at the First Christian Church tomorrow morning and evening. All other services the same as usual.

Washington Ave. Presbyterian.

Sabbath School at 9:45, followed by public worship at 11. Junior Endeavor at 2:30. Topic, "A Missionary Service." Senior Endeavor at 6:30. Leader, Miss Bessie Richey. Evening preaching service at 7:30. Topic for the morning sermon, "God's Goodness and Man's Reciprocity." Topic for the evening discourse, "Life Among the Lowly." The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Methodist.

Corner Sixth and Lincoln. Sunday School at 9:30. Public worship and sermon on "Christian Service: a Speculation," at 10:45. Junior Epworth League at 2. Epworth League at 6:30. Topic, "Christian Stewardship." Leader, T. F. Lindsay. Public worship and sermon on "Ambassador for the King" at 7:30. A cordial invitation extended to attend all these services. Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

Star Theatre

TODAY

Mutt and Jeff and the Country Judge.
An Indian Love.
Foolishhead Chauffeur.
Matinee daily, 2 to 4:30 p. m.
Saturday Matinee, 1 to 4:30 p. m.
PICTURES CHANGED DAILY
Doors open every evening at 6 p.m.

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If you never wore our Shoes, don't be stubborn about trying a pair—because you are only cutting off your nose to spite your face—you are missing comfort, style, quality and a great saving in your pocket book account. We can always fit the whole family with the best Shoes at the most popular prices.

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WANTED—Six to 8 horse power generator. Must be cheap. Address M. G. Mail office. 45-tf

FOR RENT—Five room house on McKean avenue between First and Second street. Inquire 461 Main street, Monongahela. 51-tf

FOR RENT—Four room flat \$8. 4 room house \$8. 3 room house \$7. Apply to G. M. Mail office. 45-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Apply 835 Fallowfield avenue. 44-tf

FOR SALE—Second hand safe. Apply Mail office. 48-tf

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Fox terrier dog from 305 Washington avenue. Six months old. Finder return to above address and receive reward. 54-2tp

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